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TROUBLE BREWING

In the Ranks of the American Federation of Labor.

Two Leaders Are on the Outs.

Shaffer Insists that His Charges Against the President of the American Federation of Labor be Investigated--Committee is Appointed.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 17.--There was consternation in the convention of the American Federation of Labor this morning when delegate Sheridan of the Amalagated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, introduced a resolution asking for a full and complete investigation of the charges of president Theodore J. Shaffer of the iron and steel workers' union, that President Gompers of the federation, had used the function of his office prejudicial to certain union labor interests.

The resolutions in effect were that President Shaffer of the amalagated association had impeached the unionism of Gompers. After the reading of the resolutions, Shaffer said: "I demand a thorough investigation of these charges," with much vehemence. The convention was then in an uproar. Gompers urged that the charges be taken up at once and a committee appointed. The federation adjourned in order to give the committee a chance to investigate and will meet at 9 o'clock tomorrow to hear the report.

BEHIND IN FINANCES.

The Ohio Penitentiary Managers Make a Poor Showing.

The Report of the Penal Institution Shows a Loss of Over Fifty Thousand Dollars as Compared With That of the Preceding Year.

Columbus, O Nov 17 —(Special)— Saturday was the close of the fiscal year for the treasurer of state There is a balance in the treasury, at this moment of $3,572,244 82 At the same time last year the balance was $1 683,72.54 a difference of $1 888,521 28 in favor of this year

The report just filed by the state prison managers shows that institution to have run far behind in its finance for the year just closing for them

At the beginning of the year there was a balance to the credit of the institution of $123,116,29, and the total appropriations were $333 500, so that the total to be accounted for on the appropriations was $456,616 29 The amount expended was $356 870 18 and $5 145 44 lapsed The balance left is $11 591 65

In earnings and expenditures the annual report shows that the total receipts were $243,159 49 as compared with $258,406 67 last year The expenditures were $298,339 99 as compared with $303 814 42 last year The average population was 1,689 per capita expense $176 63 Daily per capita expense 48 cents as compared with 46 cents for 1901 Net loss $55,180 50 The highest number of convicts in the prison was 1 750 on December 31 1901 and the lowest 1,689 on October 20 1902

Sales reported for the year amounted to $8,366 69 Total purchases by the steward during the year, aggregated $212,314.04 The steward does not mention what proportion of these purchases were made under the competitive bidding system

The board of managers say, in their report that the Ohio penitentiary now receives for the labor of its inmates the highest price of any prison in the world They also state that while the price of foods has increased, the cost of maintance has been decreased without reducing the grade of food furnished

COLLAPSE

Of a Building Causes at Least Two Deaths.

Fall River, Mass., Nov. 17—A building in Globevillage, a suburb of this place, collapsed this morning and ten men are buried in the ruins. Four men have already been taken out. One is dead and [illegible] are seriously hurt The police and fire department are now searching the ruins for others It is feared that all have been killed Intense excitement prevails

Later.

The building which fell, killed two men, fatally injured two other workmen, and seriously injured four others The dead Freeman S. Cahoon and W. Sandier, carpenters. The fatally injured are Fred and Isaiah Jounesse who are now in the hospital. [illegible]

YOUNG CORBETT

Defends His Title Tonight Against Jack O'Keefe.

Chicago, Ill, Nov 17.—A battle of considerable prominence is promised at the American Athletic club tonight when "Young Corbett," the featherweight champion, meets Jack O'Keefe. O'Keefe has made a good record as a fighter in Chicago and vicinity and though hardly to be considered in the champion's class he is expected to give a good account of himself Admirers of "Young Corbett find grounds for complaint in the fact that the champion is not keeping himself in good fighting condition and consequently is taking an unnecessary risk in engaging in the numerous contests he has of late

BRIGADES

Of Purity and Reform Meet in Baraboo, Wis.

Baraboo, Wis, Nov 17—Many visitors are here for the annual meeting of the Wisconsin Federation of Reforms which will be in session during the next three days Among the organizations represented are the Wisconsin Anti Saloon league, the Independent Order of Good Templars, the Northwestern Purity association, the Wisconsin W C T U and the Wisconsin Sunday Rest association

THE TOTAL VOTE

Will be Announced by Secretary Laylin Tomorrow.

Columbus O Nov 17—At the secretary of state's office this afternoon it was reported that the vote of Pike county is still out, but on the way to Columbus Secretary Laylin says he now expects to announce the official vote Tuesday noon

FATAL WRECK

Between Freight Trains on the Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg Nov 17—At 3 30 o clock this morning extra Pennsylvania freight No 239 west bound hit a light engine No 1116 just west of Bolivar station, forcing the light engine to the rear of extra freight 249 also west bound Both engines and ten loaded cars of merchandise were demolished and the tracks badly torn up Engineer H S Moore and brakeman L V Dierner were killed Fireman W D Mock was probably fatally injured

ANARCHISTS

Claim Attempt on Leopolds Life Was a Farce.

Brussels Nov 17—A meeting of anarchists held yesterday evening passed resolutions repudiating Rubino who attempted to assassinate King Leopold, because the committee of anarchists appointed to investigate the matter, reported that Rubino acted as an anarchist spy on behalf of the Italian embassy in London, and further, that he was paid by the Belgian government to make a false attempt on the king's life to revive Leopold's popularity with the people.

Live Stock Market.

East Liberty Nov 17—Cattle light, steady hogs 70 double decks active, sheep fair 10 to 15 cents lower

Grain and Pork

Chicago, Ill, Nov 17—Closing Dec wheat 73¼ corn 55, oats 30, pork 15 32

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORP.

The ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps are requested to bring their donations for the barrel to be sent to the Soldier's Home, to Memorial hall on next Thursday, as the chairman of the relief committee wishes to pack the barrel and send it as soon as possible so they can have it by Thanksgiving. Every member should be interested in this work and bring these fruits and jellies without further notice.

Mrs. J. M. Sullivan, Chairman.

VANDERBILTS

Follow the Good Lead of the Pennsylvania

And Will Give a Goodly Advance to the Men on Their Different Systems.

New York, Nov 17.—The Vanderbilt railway lines out of New York are making the greatest wage readjustment in railroad history. For the past thirty days, the New York Central, the Lake Shore and the Boston and Albany have been readjusting their salary schedule, and it will be sixty days more before the work is complete Advances in wages to be made to the employes will amount up into the millions, and all departments will be effected by it. It is conservatively estimated that 250,000 men will be effected by the new schedule with a raise from 5 to 20 per cent

TWO KILLED

And Ten Injured in a Fire and Explosion

Birmingham Ala. Nov 17—Reports from Pell City, say two persons were killed and ten injured two fatally at 4 o clock this morning by the burning of the Southern railway depot followed by the explosion of fifty cases of dynamite stored in it The dead are J D Hall a merchant of Pell City and Thomas Whitford a contractor of Cedartown Ga. N B Spears a member of the legislature and Mrs Hardy Cornett, proprietress of the Pell City hotel were fatally injured The hotel and ten stores besides the depot were wrecked

MRS. MOLINEUX

Will Get a Dakota Divorce from Acquitted Husband.

Sioux Falls S D Nov 17—Mrs Roland B Molineux of New York City has arrived here and taken up apartments at the Cataract hotel for the purpose of remaining the necessary six months in order to procure a divorce from her husband who a few days ago was acquitted of murder after two sensational trials

BIG BUSINESS

May Cause Pennsy to Take Radical Measures.

Pittsburg Nov 17—The freight blockade on the Pennsylvania and other lines entering the city so heavy that it is possible the roads may refuse to accept east freight for a week in order to get present goods out of the way

CARNIVAL WEEK

Opens Auspiciously in the City of Houston.

Houston, Tex, Nov 17—This is carnival week in Houston and the city is decked out in holiday attire and prepared to enjoy the festivities to the limit A street fair and other interesting features of entertainment have been provided Many visitors are already here and a great crowd is expected before the middle of the week

Blanche Bates' New Play.

Washington, D C, Nov 17—The management of the New National theatre reports a large advance sale of seats for Blanche Bates' new play, "The Darling of the Gods," which is to have its premier tonight The play is the joint production of David Belasco and John Luther Long and is the first long play built of Japanese scenes and characters

DR. ALEXANDER

Is on Trial Today Charged With Grave Robbing.

Indianapolis Ind Nov 17—The case of Dr Joseph Alexander demonstrator of the Central College of Physicians and Surgeons, was called for trial today in the criminal court Dr Alexander is the first to be put on trial of the twenty persons recently indicted by the grand jury for complicity in the wholesale robbery of graves in cemeteries about Indianapolis The accused included four other prominent medical men and a dozen or more negroes who are said to have done the robbing of the graves

SULLIVAN

Makes His Debut Tonight as a Monologue Artist.

New York Nov 17—Having grown tired of appearing as Simon Legree in an Uncle Tom's Cabin' show John L Sullivan has turned his attention to vaudeville Tonight he will make his debut at the Harlem music hall as a monologue artist, emulating the example of James J Corbett

MULATTO

Has Been Accused of Being Jack the Slugger.

Somerville Mass Nov 17—George L O Perry a mulatto, was arraigned in court this morning on the charge of murdering Miss Agnes McPhee on October 3 on Chester street west Somerville He pleaded not guilty This is a 'Jack the slugger'' case

Chicago Stock Market

Chicago Nov 17—Cattle 18 000 active 10 and 15 cents higher, hogs 27 000 10 and 15 cents higher, sheep $35 000 firm

MITCHELL A WITNESS

Says He Expects the Price of Coal to Go Up No Matter What Settlement Will be Made by Commission.

Scranton Nov 17—Wayne McVeagh had president Mitchell on the stand again this morning before the strike commission

"Would you be surprised to learn that 500,000 people on the Atlantic seaboard are unable to pay the present price of coal?'' said McVeagh "I would not'' "Well then, you had not thought of this when you made your demands?'' "I have, but I have said we have nothing to do with the selling price of coal." "You believe that if we grant your demands, we will increase the price of coal?" "Yes, and I believe you will do it anyway, whether we get an increase or not."

MacVeagh then took up other questions and [illegible]

ANOTHER STRIKE

Is Being Rumored but it is said for Political Purposes.

Washington, Nov 17—Rumors that the anthracite coal miners will go on another strike and that the labors of the arbitration commission appointed by President Roosevelt will come to naught, have been afloat for some days but have attracted little attention here or at Scranton The reason alleged for the coming strike is the hostile attitude persisted in toward the miners union by the operators. A rumor of a possible strike is thought to have been sent out for stock jobbing purposes and [illegible]

FIGHT FOR HIS LIFE

Will be Made a Second Time by Wilcox Accused of Murdering His Former Sweetheart, Nellie Cropsey.

Elizabeth City, N C, Nov 17.—The term of court which commenced here today promises to be of extraordinary interest as the case of James Wilcox, once convicted of the murder of Nellie Cropsey comes up for trial again.

Wilson is the son of ex sheriff T P Wilcox of this town He went to the home of W. H Corpsey a well-to-do man of this place on the night of Nov. 20 last, to call on Miss Nellie Cropsey to whom he had played the devoted lover since 1898 When he arrived the family was in the sitting room Roy Crawford was calling on Miss Olive, a sister of Miss Nellie Soon after 9 o clock the members of the household except the two sisters and Miss Carrie Cropsey a New York cousin retired At 1 30 o clock Miss Carrie went to her room leaving the two young men Crawford and Wilcox with Olive and Nellie Wilcox and Nellie had been quarrelling for a month or more and were not on speaking terms The girls had refused the day before to accept fruit bought by Wilcox He had been paying attention to Miss Carrie for a week or two.

Without having said anything to the girl during the evening Wilcox put on his hat shortly after Miss Carrie had retired and asked Miss Nellie if she would not speak to him in the hall She said nothing but went. The door was closed behind them. The girl disappeared and was never seen alive again by anyone except Wilcox Her body was found thirty seven days later in the Pasquotank river not more than 100 yards from the house

Wilcox was arrested and tried for her murder. Public feeling was very intense and speedy trial resulted in a verdict of guilty and a death sentence There was some fear at the time of mob violence In granting a new trial the supreme court said that the evidence was entirely circumstantial, that the jury did not seem to have given the necessary cautious and vigilant attention to the evidence or to the presentation of the prisoner's case by counsel, and that the conduct of the spectators in and about the court was sufficient to prejudice the jury

ANNUAL HORSE SHOW NOW ON IN NEW YORK.

Big Society Event Opened Today in Madison Square Garden.

New York Nov 17—With a fanfare of trumpets and a fluttering of black and yellow colors the doors of Madison Square Garden were thrown open this morning for the eighteenth annual exhibition of the National Horse Show association The exhibition promises to excell anything of the kind ever given before As to society—the thing which has given the affair so much eclat and the management so many shekels—the representation is expected to be as large and brilliant as heretofore Many Philadelphia and Boston horse fanciers are expected to be here before the week is out There are many new exhibitors and the class of horses shown is above the standard

OHIO'S CENTENNIAL WILL BE OBSERVED.

Legislature Appropriated Ten Thousand Dollars for That Event.

Columbus O Nov 17—(Special)—The initial steps have been taken toward the proper observation of the centennial of Ohio The state centennial commission appointed by Gov Nash under legislature resolution giving ten thousand dollars for the expense of such observation, met with the executive committee of the State Historical society for this purpose. It was decided to hold a celebration of the centennial of the organization of the state which took place March 1 1803, at Chilicothe under the auspices of the commission, on May 20 and 21, 1903 A tablet is to be presented to the keeping of Chillicothe, marking the site of the old Ross county court house which was also occupied as a state house

CHAFFEE SPEAKS OF SUBJUGATION

As a Remedy for Making the Filipino Appreciate "Liberty."

Chicago Nov 17—Acting Governor Wright and General Chaffee civil and military rulers of the Philippines arrived in Chicago this morning Mrs Chaffee is quite ill Of the Philippines General Chaffee said 'After demonstrating to the natives that the United States is the military power capable of thoroughly subjugating them, our government will have no difficulty in ruling these islands. Many of the rebelious petty monarchs can be bought with pensions and the objectable treaties can be got rid of in some way If Americans show the Dattos that the Filipinos can make money by trading the Dattos will advise peace and their subjects obey them

SPEAKERSHIP

Will Very Likely Go to "Uncle Joe" Cannon.

Washington, Nov. 17.—"Uncle Joe Cannon in a walk" seems to be the [illegible] Washington view of the speakership contest The Washington Post (independent) is among the first to concede the outcome. Congressman Grosvenor of Ohio, of prophetic vision, sees Uncle Joe wielding the gavel with Babcock and Dalzell and [illegible] and Burton and all other [illegible] back in their [illegible]

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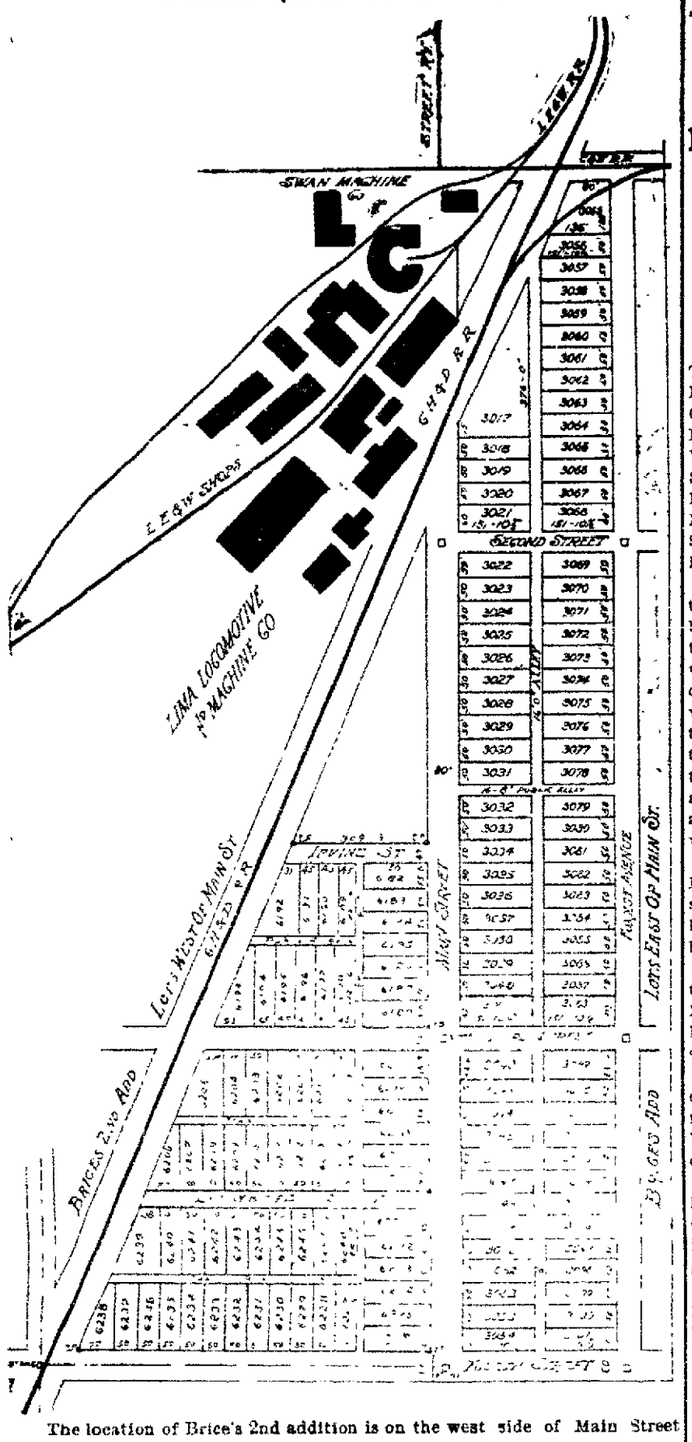

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INDICATIONS OF ACTIVITY

Are Numerous Since the Recent Boosts in the Price of Oil.

Recent Developments in the Allen, Wood and Hancock County Pools and a Report of the New Work in Other Portions of the Buckeye Oil Field.

OIL MARKET.

Tiona	$1.54
Pennsylvania oil	1.39
Corning oil	1.22
New Castle oil	1.14
White House oil	1.09
Somerset oil	85
Lacey oil	85
North Lima oil	1.01
South Lima oil	98
Indiana oil	96

There are numerous indications of the activity which may be expected to become noticeable within a short time if the upward turn in prices of western crude is maintained. Though operators seem loath to begin new work until practically assured that the returns will be worth the gamble, they are quite generally figuring out that the conditions appear bullish, and it will take little urging to give an added impetus to to the projected work.

A test well drilled by Larough & Hubbard on the Sarah Bailey farm, in section 5 of Auglaize township, Allen county, proved to be a duster and has been abandoned.

Two 20-bbl wells are new in Bath township, being Weill & Johnson's No 3 D. W Clutter, section 9, and J B Kerr & Co's No 7 H Risser, in section 33.

The Hammond Oil company's second well on the Malvina Marke farm, in section 16 of Jennings township, Van Wert county comes in the duster class.

In York township Grogan & Co have completed two wells on the J. W Owens farm, section 2, the first making 18 bbls, while the second was good for 35 at the start.

The Empire Oil & Refining company's No. 2 Rebecca Duprey, in section 3 York, started producing at the rate of 60 bbls in 24 hours after shot.

The Ohio Oil company has a very light well in its No 6 on the M. E. Mills farm, in section 32 of Black Creek township. It made only 2 bbls.

In Seneca county, E F Day has completed No 4 on the Thomas Riley farm, section 6, Jackson, and has a 45 bbl well.

Wood County Wells.

In the eastern Wood county field, J H. Burnett has a first class well in his No 6, on the B McSorley farm, section 3636 Montgomery township, it started producing at a 75-bbl rate.

Thomas Argue & Co. completed No 1 on the C. L Smith farm, section 5 Montgomery, with a 15-bbl producer as the result.

Two 40-barrelers are reported from Freedom township, the Freedom Oil company's No 1 on the John Zeppernick farm section 29, and the Crown Oil company's No. 13 H. Hille, in section 23.

In Portage township, the new wells are only fair producers. Pateson & Dusler have one in the 20-bbl class at No. 4 H F. Rubel, section 24; J. E. Connelley's No 13 Solether Bros. section 32, was of similar calibre, and D W. Miller's No. 5 H R. Reynolds, section 24, was a little lighter.

In Liberty township, the Ohio Oil company has two wells good for about 50 bbls. No 13 on the James Miller farm, section 26, and No 5 N Sanglier, in section 34.

The Ohio has a good well on the Northwestern Gas company lands in section 21 of Bloom township. It was their No 17 well, and made 25 bbls natural the first 24 hours. Two others completed in this township were 10-barrelers, the Exchange Oil company's No. 9 I. Simon, section 32, and O A. Browning & Co.'s No. 7 John Loe, section 5.

Over in Perry township H J. Adams & Co completed a 20-bbl well in their No. 5 on the S Ash farm, section 32.

Results in Hancock.

There has been an unusual run of salt water in the new completions for Hancock county, but withal some pretty fair wells are being secured, and the indications are that some of those now pumping the briny fluid add materially to the county's oleaginous output when this is exhausted.

J W Kirkbride & Co, have a very good well in No 12 on J B Wagner farm, section 2 Marion, the original output having been 70 bbls. Kirkbride's No 3 Norris heirs, section 3, Marion, was a salt water pumper, as were the Ohio Oil Co's 26 I Davis and 6 Wm G Wagoner, the latter in section 12.

Kelly & Ely's No 22 on the J F Hastings farm, section 10 Liberty, was a 15-bbl well, and the Ohio Oil company's No. 14 Stoker fee section 2, started at 10 bbls.

The first gauge on the Co-Operative Oil & Gas company's No. 1 J. M Deter, section 22 of Portage township, shows its production to have been 40 bbls in 24 hours after shot.

The Ohio Oil company's No 8 on the Knoke heirs farm, in section 23 Allen, was good for 20 bbls the first day.

In Cass township, two new wells are in the 5-bbl class, the Ohio Oil company's No 2 on the T. Karn farm, and Noah Bowlus' No. 24 J. C Van Eman, both of which are located in section 15.

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The delinquent list of water consumers has been made up and ready to certify to the Auditor to be placed upon the duplicate for collection and will be certified, not later than Dec 1st, 1902.

Those paying before that date can have their names taken off the list; otherwise they will find the amount due at the Treasurers office with the additional ten per cent penalty added to their December taxes.

All delinquent matters in this department of the City must be settled up preparatory to the taking effect of the New Municipal Code.

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A QUEER PICTURE THING.

The Way One Art Treasure Was Rescued From Oblivion.

Few chapters in the world's history are more curious and interesting than that which deals with the fortunes of its art treasures. In the cathedral at Montreal is, or was a few years ago, a large piece of tapestry which had been discovered in a back street of a New England town. The story is told in Mrs. Slisbee's "Half Century of Salem."

One day a certain Mr. Miller passing through Derby street saw a woman beating clouds of dust from a carpet. Something peculiar in its appearance made him stop and look closely at it, when he discovered, to his astonishment, that it was a splendid piece of tapestry, with life sized figures wrought from Raphael's cartoon, "Feed My Lambs."

The woman was quite willing to tell how she obtained it. It was, in fact, a standing grievance to her. Her husband was a sailor, and when he went out on one of his voyages she had begged him to bring her a carpet for her best room. As it happened, he did not visit a port where he could buy a carpet, but rolled up in a little shop on the quay at Malta he had found the tapestry and purchased it, thinking it might answer the purpose. It was too large for the room, and the woman had to turn a big piece under. She folded the piece back, revealing part of the superb border of fruit and flowers, wrought in silk and gold thread, as fresh as when it was first worked. But the owner eyed it with contempt. She never did like the queer picture thing, she declared.

It was the opportunity of a lifetime. Mr. Miller promptly offered her the choice of any carpet in the stores in exchange for her "queer picture thing," and the woman as promptly accepted the offer. They went downtown together, and she selected, with unbounded delight, a hideous pattern of glowing reds and greens. Her face was full of triumph when she returned. The best room at last was to have a carpet that was a carpet!

It is safe to say that no bargain ever gave more complete satisfaction to both parties than the one made that morning in Derby street, Salem.

A GREAT WORRY CURE.

Common Sense Is the Best Remedy That Can Be Prescribed.

I once asked a physician what cure he could suggest for the worrying habit. "I would prescribe common sense," he said, "and if a man or woman hasn't got a stock on hand and cannot cultivate one the medical man is powerless." This worrying nonsense grows. The best means to cure it lies in the hands of the woman herself.

If she will just call a little horse sense to her aid, resolve not to borrow trouble, to be cheerful and think upon the right side of things, she will live longer and be able to retain her beauty. Every woman has the strongest desire to keep her good looks. Why, then, does she take the course which is sure to make her yellow skinned, dull eyed and thoroughly unlovely?

The Englishwoman is greatly admired for her utter refusal to worry or to be worried. Consequently she looks young at fifty. Undertaking no more than she can comfortably carry out and firmly believing in the coming of another day, she does not procrastinate, but simply will not let the domestic machinery grind her down to ill health and an early old age.

She is a frequent bather and regards health as the prime factor of life, to be looked after before everything else. She sleeps nine hours and also takes a nap during the day, arranging her work in the most systematic manner.

Her little memorandum slip always shows two vacant hours—they are for rest. She eats heartily, but of the most digestible food, and would rather have a mouthful of good food and go partly hungry than eat a whole meal of cheaper things.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

An Orphan?

A well known professor has a bright boy, who one day at the age of four appeared in his father's study clasping in his hands a forlorn looking little chicken which had strayed from a neighboring incubator.

"Willie," said his father sternly, "take that chicken back to its mother."

"Ain't dot any mudder," answered Willie.

"Well, then, take it back to its father," said the professor, determined to maintain parental authority.

"Ain't dot any fader," said the child. "Ain't dot anythin' but an old lamp!"—New York Times.

It Makes Them Wild.

"I wonder why they always call them the 'wild waves?'" says the thoughtful one.

"I don't know, but I think I know what makes them wild," says the cynical one.

"What?"

"So many fools happen along, and as soon as they see the waves they ask, 'What are the wild waves saying?'"—Baltimore American.

Too Impetuous.

Tess—Why do you dislike him so?

Jess—Oh, he says such hateful things. He told me last evening that beauty was only skin deep, and—

Tess—And you immediately proceeded to show him how thin skinned you were.—Philadelphia Press.

The Influence.

Jerry—How do good clothes make a man a gentleman?

Jos—They make him feel as if he was expected to act like one.—Detroit Free Press.

Don't say "I wish." Anybody can wish.—Atchison Globe.

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Richard Whiteing, the author of that popular book "No. 5 John Street," is to write one of the serials for The Century in 1903, "The Yellow Van," the story of an American "schoolma am" who marries an English duke. Another serial, by the author of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," the most popular book of the year, will begin to appear in the December Century. Papers by "Mr. Dooley," giving his unique "Opinions" on literature, new light on the lives of Edgar Allen Poe and Sir Walter Scott, richly illustrated articles on the great exchanges of the world, and the best short stories that can be procured from the leading writers—all these are coming in The Century. Beautiful pictures in color will appear from time to time.

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EVENTS

Of Interest to the People

In South Lima

Church Fair Begins Wednesday Night.

A Reception Will be Given Rev. Curry and His Family.

Rev. Hagerman Will Dedicate a Church at Celina—J. A. Nickel Receives a Valuable Present.

At the plant of the new Lima Locomotive Works, on south Main street, Saturday evening, about five o'clock, the employes engaged in erecting structural iron work, presented J. A. Nickel, their superintendent, with a valuable token of their esteem. Mr. Nickel, who has been in the employ of the Kenton Champion Iron works for a number of years as a superintendent of construction, has resigned his position, to engage in business for himself at Columbus. His workmen learning he was to leave shortly for his new place of occupation, arranged to present him with a token of their esteem. Accordingly a short time before discontinuing work Saturday evening, the men assembled and John Weibel in their behalf, delivered an appropriate address at the conclusion of which he presented Mr. Nickel with a handsome gold watch chain and charm. The charm was beautifully engraved, containing the date and place of presentation. The recipient of this special consideration was deeply effected by the address of commendation and the bestowal of the highly appreciated present. He endeavored to respond but was so overcome that he could only speak briefly thanking the men and expressing his appreciation. In going to his new home and field of labor he is attended by the kindest and best wishes of his employes, all of whom wish him success.

Conducted Funeral.

Rev. W. J. Hagerman, of south Elizabeth street left today for Dunkirk where he will officiate at the funeral of a friend. Mrs. Hagerman accompanied her husband.

Pastorial Reception.

At the south Main street Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, a reception will be tendered the new pastor, Rev. W. M. Currey and his family. The evening's exercises will begin with the invocation by Rev. W. J. Hagerman, of Grace M. E. church, followed by music by a select choir. Rev. R. J. Thomson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church will deliver the address of welcome. Rev. Curry will respond after which dainty refreshments will be served and a season of sociability.

The Fair.

Arrangements are being rapidly completed for the fair to be given in St. Johns hall this week, commencing Wednesday evening. The first night will be free to all the children of the city. Besides the customary features of a bazaar, which will be presented in detail, there will be special literary and musical programs each evening. Following is the list of articles and the candidates. Rev. F. G. Rupert is a candidate against the local lodge of Hibernians for a beautiful silk Hibernian flag. C. M. Duggan and John Keller, Jr., will compete for the bicycle. Miss Carrie Seibert and Miss Frances Mehan, are the candidates for the quilt. The violin will be contested for by Martin Seibert and Walter Flahie. Mesdames Edward Daugherty and E. Connell will solicit for the cabinet organ. Miss Nellie Duggan and Miss Mollie McAuliffe are the candidates for the diamond ring.

Interesting Meeting.

C. H. Hubbell, field secretary of the Ohio Christian Endeavor Union, will be in Lima Tuesday evening, Nov. 18, to hold a young people's rally. All interested in young people's work are urged to come out to this meeting. Mr. Hubbell is a very interesting speaker and will have something good for all who attend. Do not forget the time, Tuesday evening, Nov. 18, at 7:30, at the First Congregational church.

Anti-Saloon Congress.

Rev. Brookins Lawrence, was here the past week calling upon the pastors of the several local churches, making arrangements to have the local churches represented at the anti-saloon congress to be held in the board of trade auditorium at Columbus, December the first to third inclusive. Churches, Sunday schools, young people's societies and temperance organizations throughout the state will send delegates.

Union Meeting.

All the young people of south Lima are cordially invited to attend a reception to the Christian Endeavor Union League at Trinity M. E. church Monday evening, November the twenty-fourth. One of the objects of the meeting is to build up the Christian Endeavor Union League of the city. A pleasant social time is promised.

Will Dedicate.

Rev. W. J. Hagerman, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will go to Celina next Sunday where he will dedicate Center Chapel, a new Methodist church. Mr. Hagerman will also deliver the dedicatory address. Next Sunday morning, Rev. Maltbie will occupy Mr. Hagerman's pulpit. In the evening Rev. Brandebury will preach.

New Position.

C. O. Wood, for a long time in the employ of the Model mills, has been promoted to the position of traveling to solicit new work.

District Conference.

The fifty-fourth session of the Lima District Conference of the Methodist church convened at Mendon today. On account of attending a funeral at Dunkirk, Rev. W. J. Hagerman, who was upon the program for an address, was unable to attend. The meeting will be an interesting one.

Revival Meeting.

At Grace M. E. church, Wednesday evening, special services will be held preparatory to the revival meetings which will begin next Monday evening and continue indefinitely. Rev. E. T. Bowdle, will have charge of the music.

Told About People.

Rev. Stephen Webber, of Leipsic, is the guest of Rev. F. G. Rupert, on south Main street.

O. J. Rose, of Broadway, spent Sunday with friends at Spencerville.

Aurthur Moser, of Buckland visited yesterday at Grant Hamilton's, on Second street. Alfred Hamilton, of Wapakoneta was also entertained at Hamilton's Sunday.

Mrs. Williams, of west Elm street, hospitably entertained friends Saturday night.

James Courtney, of Chicago a mail carrier in that city, is here to spend his vacation with Thomas Downey, of south Main street.

Miss Edna Biddinger, of east Kibby street was the guest of Wapak friends yesterday.

Mrs. Arion Reichelderfer and daughter, Leola, were guests yesterday of J. E. Crider's on east Kibby street.

A VAST SALT FIELD.

How the Product Is Obtained in the Middle of the Colorado Desert.

In the middle of the Colorado desert, a little to the north of the Mexican border and 264 feet below the level of the sea, lies a field of crystallized salt more than a thousand acres in extent, presenting a surface as white as snow and beneath the noonday glare of the sun so dazzling that the naked eye cannot stand its radiance. It stretches away for miles and miles about Salton, Colo., an ocean of blazing, blistering white.

Here daily throughout the year men are at work overturning the great deposit with massive plows and scrapers, getting it into great piles preliminary to putting it through the refining process. The salt plows used to secure the harvest are great four wheeled implements driven by steam and managed by two men. The salt crust is thrown up in parallel ridges, then laborers with hoes work it to and fro in the water, washing out the dirt preliminary to stacking it in mounds to be taken to the mill.

Salt springs in adjacent foothills are constantly contributing to the deposit, and so heavily laden are they with almost pure salt that the plow has hardly passed on before a new crust has formed in the furrow left. This fact renders it unnecessary to operate more than a small portion of the vast deposit.

As may be supposed, work in these fields is performed under the most trying conditions. No white man can stand the intense heat, and for this reason the work is done wholly by Japanese and by Coahuila Indians. Of these the Indians are by far the better adapted to the work, the Japanese performing only one portion, sewing the sacks in which the salt is shipped. The atmosphere, laden as it is with particles of salt, gives rise to a painful thirst, and the only available drinking water comes from a single well. It is warm and ill tasting.

Beautiful mirages frequently appear above the great salt field in the daytime, sky pictures of magnificent cities and flower dotted, tree shaded fields. The moonlight, too, produces wondrously beautiful effects upon the great field of gleaming salt. For several weeks in the year the thermometer on the salt field averages 140 degrees, and the reflection of the sun produces a glare like that from a furnace. The deposits vary in thickness from ten to twenty inches and form a solid crust over the great marsh. It is estimated that about 700 tons are now plowed up daily.—New York Tribune.

F—l—e—h at Townsend's.

A POLICEMAN'S TESTIMONY.

J. N. Patterson, night policeman of Nashua, Ia., writes, "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least a half dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world."

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A German Custom.

In some parts of Germany the girls have a pretty custom in which the queen of flowers plays a part. If a girl has several suitors and wishes to know which of them would be true to her, she takes rose petals and drops them into a bowl of water, giving each the name of one of her admirers. The leaf that remains floating longest represents the man whose faithfulness she may rely on and whom she would therefore do well to choose.

Asleep Amid Flames.

Breaking into a blazing home, some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fanciled security, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption gives perfect protection against all throat, chest and lung troubles. Keep it near, and avoid suffering, death, and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting, it's guaranteed to satisfy by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

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"Is it true that men of genius do not know the value of money?"

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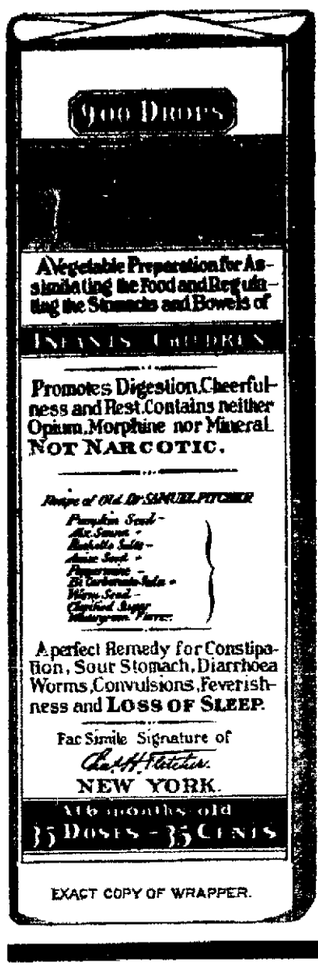

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Blood Poison is an imperious and cruel master. It heeds not the voice of prayer or the cry of agony. The cabin and the palace echo its dismal tread and the peasant and the king fall at its withering touch. Blood poison is transmitted to the third and fourth generations and the sins of the parents are visited upon the child. It may be primary, secondary or territory. If you have taken Mercury, Iodide of Potash or other poisonous drugs, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in the Mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper Colored Spots, Sores, or Ulcers on any part of the body or limbs, Hair or Eyebrows falling out— it is this Blood Poison that Dr. Gasaway cures. We solicit the most obstinate cases, in their most aggravated stages. The blood and system is thoroughly cleansed and freed from every trace of Poisonous Virus without the use of any Poisonous Drugs.

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The Weather.

Washington, Nov. 17.—Ohio: rain tonight except fair in southwest portion cooler Tuesday fair and warmer.

Rev. Bigelow, who was the associate of Tom Johnson in his circus tent attraction during his recent campaign, has introduced into his pulpit the discussion of the single tax question. If the proposition, as discussed by the Reverend in the pulpit, is productive of no more good than when it was discussed upon the stump, Brother Bigelow had better save his energy and eloquence.

"With farmers feeding turkeys in their shirt sleeves and housewives chasing flies from the Thanksgiving table, there is evidently something wrong in the weather bureau.—Marriette Leader.

There has been reasonably mild weather in the upper part of Ohio during the month of November, but up to the present moment there have been no 'turkeys in their shirt sleeves' visible to the naked eye. Perhaps that is a habit peculiar only to Marrietta turkeys.

In these strenuous days it gladdens the heart to know that while the prosperous workingman is filling his dinner pail with 20 cent beef and 30 cent eggs, etc., etc., and filling his coal bin with $3.50 soft coal or $10 anthracite coal, etc., etc., our strenuous president attired in blue flannel shirt, khaki trousers, leather leggins, corduroy coat, cartridge belt, hunting knife and rifle, is chasing Bruin through the canebrakes of Mississippi. —Columbus Press.

RATHBONE, HANNA, NEELY & CO.

And now Bob Nevin who was elected to congress in the Dayton district, carrying Butler county, a solid Democratic stronghold, is being pushed forward for governor by one Rathbone, and his followers. Rathbone, as will be remembered, is just back from a Cuban prison and is the right hand man of one Mark Hanna. Nevin wanted help from the Republican legislature when the changes in the congressional district were being considered by that august body, but Hanna, the big boss, would not allow Nevin to have his district changed. However, Nevin was elected and now Hanna, through his man Friday—Rathbone—is pushing Nevin to the front as a gubernatorial possibility with the idea in mind of throwing him down, at the last moment. Hanna doesn't like Nevin and is making the bullets for Rathbone to fire. In the meantime Nevin goes to congress.—Marion Mirror.

EXIT SETH LOW ALSO.

Seth Low was elected mayor of New York on a platform of "plain duty." Columbia university lost an apparently good president to make a poor mayor on that platform.

It might have been assumed that the scholar in politics would take his chief counsel from his conscience. Under his oath of office Mr. Low was bound in conscience to enforce all the laws as he found them on the books. The charter did not constitute him a legislature.

With the arrogance which has always been characteristic of pedagogy Mr. Low gradually transformed himself by his own imagination into both a legislature and a judiciary of final jurisdiction within the extensive boundaries of his own conceit. The result is seen in last Tuesday's balloting.

Mr. Low assumed the right to suspend all the laws and ordinances it did not please his idea of expediency to enforce. He caused the enforcement of only those which he deemed it politically inexpedient to nullify.

The conscience of the community was disgusted. It was generally believed that Mr. Low was beset with the buzzing of a presidential bee. A

Chamsions of a subjective mania. Its outward expressions were chiefly passive and comparatively innocuous but they aroused grave apprehension. The conscience of the community was revolted by the apparent perversion of conscience of the "scholar" executive. It was deemed safer, therefore, by thousands of Republicans and independent Democrats to rebuke the scholar, who will be free at the end of his term to return to the university.—Chicago Chronicle.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. J. L. Motter, from Williamsport, Maryland, who came to this city last Friday for a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Motter, was called home today by a telegram announcing the death of her brother-in-law, Judge Stake, of Hagerstown, Md.

Miss Laura Borges is the guest of Miss Mathews, of Ottawa.

Miss Bessie Goodman, of Bodkins, O., spent Sunday with Miss Myrtle Jackman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nagel, of St. Marys, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Langan, over Sunday.

Mrs. R. Herket and son and Mrs. Josephine Gill are visiting their brother, Mr. Chas. Banta.

Miss Rose Kamerer, of north Elizabeth street, left this morning for Norfolk, W. Va., where on Thursday morning she will become the bride of A. J. Seery.

Mrs. John Houdenshield, who has been the guest of Mrs. George Hamilton, of east Market street, has returned to her home in Kenton.

Winnie Sullivan Romer has again taken an engagement in St. Louis, singing in the Second Presbyterian church in Westminster place, in a quartet choir.

Fire chief Bert Coates is on duty again after a few days' illness.

Albert Tomkins was called to Newford on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. Woodworth.

Miss Carrie Moore was dismissed from the city hospital Saturday, after undergoing a severe operation for ulcers of the eye.

Miss Edna Burton is studying under Savage in New York and is singing in the Reformed church on The Heights in Brooklyn and does not expect to return until next June.

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Against United Oil Producing Company

Because Incorporation Certificate Had Not Been Filed With the Secretary of State of New Jersey.

A telegram from New York says: The United Oil Producing Company of Lima, Ohio, has been mulcted in the Elizabeth District Court, Elizabeth, N. J., where it brought several suits against persons there who subscribed for shares of stock. The company, which claims to be incorporated in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Delaware and other states did not file any incorporation certificate with New Jersey's State Secretary. As a result, Judge Atwater threw out as illegal all its cases brought in Elizabeth, where several thousand dollars had been subscribed. The decision, it is said, carries with it a penalty in each case of $200 against the oil company.

DAUGHTER

Of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hoffman Died Today.

Florence H. Hoffman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hoffman 896 east High street, died at 11:30 o'clock today, death resulting from typhoid fever. The child was aged 3 years, 4 months and 8 days. Arrangements for the funeral services have not yet been made.

OHIO LAWS.

A Number of Copies of Volumes 95 Received.

Auditor Feltz has received a number of copies of laws of Ohio, Vo. 95 for distribution. Those who are entitled to receive these books may obtain them by calling at the Auditors office.

The Spinet club will be entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sam Flach, of west Elm street.

The Sappho club will meet at 2 [illegible] afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. S. Wheeler, on west North street.

LIKE TO BE YOUNG AGAIN?

Not Well, Here Is One Man Who Would Rather Be Excused.

"We all say that we'd like to be young again, but I doubt if we really mean it," says Harvey Sutherland in Ainslee's. "We'd like to have as good health as we had when we cast our first vote, and we'd like it if we didn't have to visit the dentist so often and so expensively. But if it came to the point that the genii bounced out before us and sulkily growled: 'What is your wish? I will obey, I and the other slaves of the lamp,' I fancy we should study quite awhile, with many a 'Why—uh, let me see now,' before we plucked up the courage to blurt out, 'Make me twenty-one again.'

"Because, you know, you haven't any too much sense now, with all your experience of the world, and if you were twenty-one again it would have to be in mind as well as in body. The mind is what the body is. It seems a terrible price to pay for a new set of teeth and an undiscriminating appetite. What? To walk again that weary, tortuous road; to discover again how many kinds of a fool and a failure one can be, and not half try either; to have to take over again all those terms of old Professor Experience? Huh-uh! Not for me. You may if you like. Even if I could start anew with what I have learned of life, which would come far short of what I should really need, it seems to me that it would be a bore to have to sit through the performance again. I suppose if ever there was a successful man, a lucky man, it was Martin Luther, and yet when the electress of Brandenburg wished him forty more birthdays he told her he would sooner give up every hope of heaven he had than spend forty years more on earth. To be sure, he would have had to spend them in Germany, but that's a detail."

EPIGRAMS IN DIALOGUE.

The following "bouquet" is picked from various plays, successful and otherwise:

Nothing can work such havoc as a fool.—"Sowing the Wind."

We may scale a mountain only to trip over a mole hill.—"Queen's Favorite."

Those who wait for other men's shoes must tread roughly sometimes.—"Alone."

Life's like baccarat. Chance gives the cards. We only play what's dealt us.—"John Dunford, M. P."

Joy, joy—one cannot touch joy every day. One must take things as they are.—"Pelleas and Melleande."

Wrinkles, you know, my dear, are the diary of a woman's life in cipher.—"His Excellency the Governor."

In a woman's word book "I hate you" often means "I like you." That's worth remembering.—"The Termagant."

Ladies, like bills of exchange, are allowed a little grace and, unlike bills of exchange, are much pleasanter to meet. —"Her Own Rival."

I suppose honesty's like the gout. It runs in certain families for several generations, and then it skips a generation.—"The Rogue's Comedy."

Oh, isn't there one perfect world out of all the millions, just one, where everything goes right and fiddles never get out of tune?—"The Masqueraders."

An Essay on Rain.

"In a general way I approve of rains," said the grumpy person when he reached home after a drenching. "They are a fine thing when they come decently and in good order"—as he placed his umbrella where it would drip on the parlor carpet—"but I want to go on record right now"—removing his soggy new hat and saturated coat—"as declaring I am opposed to these rains that begin on the day before yesterday and keep coming"—gazing at his eight dollar trousers, which resembled dishrags. "It wouldn't be so bad," he resumed as he took his shoes off and let the water run out, "if it rained straight down, but when it rains zigzag and up and crosswise and catacorners it's time to protest. A dod gasted day like this has no right to be on the calendar"—and so on until he got to bed.—Exchange.

The Montefiore Family.

The late Sir Moses Montefiore, the "grand old man" of the Jews, the modern Moses bringing thousands and tens of thousands out of bondage and poverty into the land of peace and plenty—and really he had his reward, rounding out his century in fine shape, his spiritual eye not dimmed nor his natural strength abated—was once taunted with being a descendant of the murderers of Christ. He said nothing at the time, but called on his accusers next day with a chart of his pedigree, showing that the home of his forbears, the "old homestead," had been in Spain for over 2,000 years, about 200 years before Christ was born.—New York Press.

Wasn't Looking For That Run.

Superintendent of the Railroad Company—So you want a job as fireman, eh?

Applicant—Yes, sir.

Superintendent—I'll have to ask you a few questions. How far is it to the north pole?

Applicant—Gee whiz! If you're going to put me on that line, I don't want the job.—Indianapolis News.

No Cash.

"Harry, I suppose you keep a cash account?"

"No, Uncle George, I haven't got so far as that, but I keep an expense account."—Boston Transcript.

To preserve health is a moral and religious duty, for health is the basis of all social virtues. We can no longer be useful when not well.—Johnson.

THE DRAWING

For the Fine $350.00 Piano Thursday Night

Will Take Place in Faurot Opera House in Order to Accommodate All.

The ever enterprising firm of Porter & Son always looking after the best interests of their hundreds of friends, this morning made arrangements with manager Maxwell for the use of Faurot's opera house on next Thursday evening, November 20th, when the drawing for the fine $350.00 piano to be given away free to the holder of the lucky number, will take place. When interviewed on the matter this morning, B. S. Porter, senior member of the firm, stated that the drawing, as advertised, would begin at 7:30 o'clock p. m., and requested that all holders of tickets be present or if unable to come themselves, to send a substitute with their tickets. The great number of tickets now distributed meant that the crowd at the big drawing could not be accommodated in their music store on south Main street, so the quaker, reliable as always, made arrangements as stated above.

ARRIVED

Too Late to See Her Brother Before He Died.

Mrs. Catherine Hollihan, received a message Saturday stating that her brother James Murphy, of Lexington, Ky., was dying. Mrs. Hollihan and son left immediately but Mr. Murphy was dead when they reached Lexington.

Mr. Murphy has been a prominent horseman for the past twenty-five years. He has made his headquarters at Lexington, but has had horses on both the eastern and western tracks throughout the country. The remains will be brought to Bellefontaine tonight and the funeral services will be held at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

There's scarcely a disease that constipation will not bring. Kills you little by little. Rocky Mountain Tea positively cures.

Come and See the Dots Counted

Tomorrow evening, at 7:30 p. m., the dots on the cloth in our north shoe window will be counted. After they are counted, the one that guessed the nearest to the correct number will get a pair of

$3.50 SHOES FREE.

Come and watch them count and see if you are the winner.

MICHAEL'S
UP TO DATE STORE FOR CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR

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INTERNATIONAL LIVE STOCK EXPOSITION AT CHICAGO.

The Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets to Chicago, at one fare rate, plus $2.00. December 1st, 2nd and 3rd, good returning until December 7. Tickets to be deposited at Chicago and payment of 25 cents must be made for same. Se Erie agents for information. 29-tf

Don't miss the opportunity of getting one of those choice lots in the Brice 2nd addition. Nearly 50 lots sold since the opening sale.
John M. Boose, agent.
201 Black Block.

What is Worse Than an Aching Tooth?

Especially at Thanksgiving time, when you wish to enjoy the best dinner of the year.

You will not have this dreaded tooth ache if you visit our office in time, where they will receive the proper attention with the least possible pain.

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Hours, 8 to 5:30 Evenings 7 to 8. Sundays 9 to 12. OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.
LADY ATTENDANT.

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Of Granite Ware, Tin Ware, Galvanized Ware, Glass Ware, Household Goods, Etc., in Our Economy Basement.

Sale Begins Monday, November 17 and Closes Saturday, November 29.

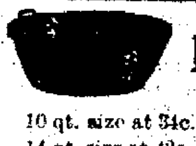
Granite Ware

2 qt. granite coffee pot for 19c, worth 25c.

No. 8 extra heavy tripple coated Granite Tea Kettle worth 95c, Sale Price 75c.

Granite pie pans—Size 9 inches, at 7c each, worth 10c.

Granite Basin—Extra heavy goods at 15c each, worth 25c.



Dish Pans.

10 qt. size at 34c.

14 qt. size at 42c.

17 qt size at 50c.

Would be cheap at 20 per cent more.

16 qt. granite seamless water pail at 58c, worth 75c.

Flaring Pail.

Full size, good tin, well soldered, enameled handle, the usual 10 qt. size, worth 15c, **Sale price 8c**

Galvanized foot tub, well made, generally sold at 40c, **Sale price 30c**

10 qt. galvanized water pail, worth 20c, **Sale price 15c**

Galanized wash tub, size 1, at 44c each.

No. 8 galvanized wash boiler with tin covers at 69c.

Flour Sifters.

Full size, made of heavy tin, fine wire sifter, well put together, worth 15c,

Sale price 8c

These sales take place annually for the purpose of reducing all surplus stock to make room for a large display of

**Toys,
Dolls,
Books, Doll
Carriages, Etc.**

While our prices in this department are always lower than can be found elsewhere for goods of equal merit, you will find many surprises in store for you during this sale.

Flower pots at less than cost.

Emery knife sharpeners at 5c, worth 10c,

Shelf paper at 1c per dozen sheets.

One lot paper back novels, publishers' price 25c. Sale price 5c each.

Lard cans made of heavy quality tin with tight fitting cover. These can also be used as sugar cans:

25 lb. size cheap at 25c. Sale price 20c.
40 lb. size cheap at 35c. Sale price 28c.
50 lb. size cheap at 40c. Sale price 33c.

Feltz Bros. & Co.,

1st Door South of Court House.

Broiler or Toaster.

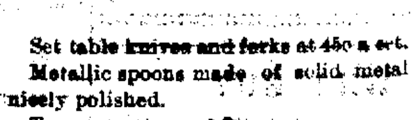
Finely tinned wire, size 6x8 with 7½ inch handle, at 8c each.

Wire egg beater—not 5c, but 1c each.

Dover pattern egg beater, not 10c, but 5c each.

Stove lid lifter at 2c each.

Stove polishing mitten and dauber generally sold for 15c, Sale price 8c.



Set table knives and forks at 45c a set.

Metallic spoons made of solid metal nicely polished.

Tea spoons per set 5c.

Table spoons per set 15c.

Galvanized chamber pails with covers at 39c.

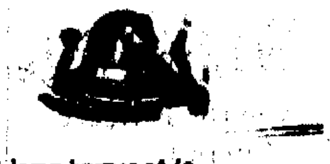
Japanned chamber pails with cover at 25c each.

Coal hods, large size, well made, Japanned inside and outside, worth 35c, **Sale price 25c**

Coal hods made of heavy galanized iron, worth 45c, **Sale price 30c**

Fire shovels at 3c, worth 5c.

Fire shovels with long handle at 5c, worth 10c.



No. 1 lamp burner at 4c.

No. 2 lamp burner at 5c.

14 inch chair bottoms at 6c each, instead of 10c.

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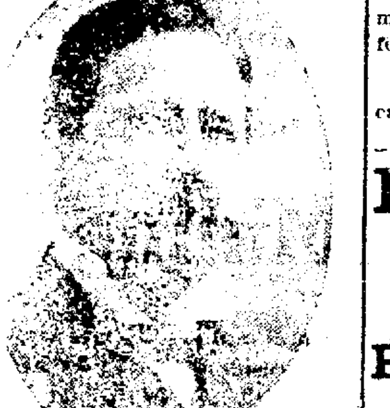
...hen we consider the absolute ...sity of perfect eyesight to attain success or pleasure in life and ...ine the awful darkness in which blind must exist it is inconceivable that any human being should neg... the slightest symptom of defective ...ght or should submit to treat... by any but the most skillful and ...rienced.

...rong methods produce other dis... ...rs of the eye which sooner or lat... ...ll result in partial or entire blind... Millions of eyes have been ruin... ...y improper adjustment of glass... ...hich were not suited to them. ...you have blurring, dizziness, neu... ...a, headache, spots before the ...inflammation, granulations, wink... trembling spells, cataract, burn... and smarting of the eyes, various ...ous and brain affections entail... not only positive injury to the ..., but untold misery, call imme...ly.



...arles Lincoln Smith, the New Optician, will, at the Lima House, ...in, in private parlors, suite No. 106 ...07, a short time longer. Office ...10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Consult... free.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

...aled bids will be received at the ... of the clerk of the Village of ..., Allen county, Ohio, until 12 M., Wednesday, December 3rd, 1902, ...lot No. 12, Harpster's addition of ... to the Village of Cairo, Allen ..., Ohio. No bid will be con...red unless accompanied by a cer... check, payable to the clerk of ... village, in the sum of not less ...fifty ($50.00) dollars. The ...il of said village reserves the ... to reject any or all bids.

J. C. HERSH.
Clerk of Cairo, Allen Co., O.

...ery person that buys a ...n the Brice 2nd addition ...re to make money at the ... they are now being ... as this property is right ...to heart of the manufact...g district and is in great ...and. Don't wait until ... are all sold.

...ohn M. Boose, agent, 201 Black Block.

THE FIELD OF LOCAL SPORTS.

Bob Reaks Issues a Challenge to Ackerman of Kenton.

Offers to Throw Him Ten Times in an Hour or Match the "Flying" Dutchman on Even Terms.

The friends of A. Ackerman, the Kenton wrestler, who succeeded in staying with the "Flying Dutchman" for the time limit of fifteen minutes, Friday evening, are much pleased with his work, and the Kenton Republican extends a warm hand in congratulation. Ackerman deserves all the praise he has received as he was up against a stiff proposition and handled himself like a veteran.

The Republican is in error, however, when it says that efforts were made by Ackerman and his trainer to arrange a straight match with the Dutchman, and that Bob Reaks, the latter's manager was not anxious to consider it. On the contrary, it was just what both Reaks and the Dutchman wanted, but Ackerman insisted that he was not in condition and said that he would go into training for six months before considering a proposition. Reaks offered to meet Ackerman on almost any terms, but the Kenton wrestler stated emphatically that such a match was out of the question as Reaks was a professional wrestler and outclassed him in every way.

To judge the work of Ackerman when on the mat, he combines a fine muscular development with good generalship when on the defensive, and has the science and agility to worm himself out of dangerous positions. At no time, however, was he the agressor, the last four minutes being devoted to pinning the Dutchman to the floor where it was impossible for him to get a hold. Everything considered, it looks as though the two were evenly matched, and another meeting for two falls out of three with no time limit would draw either at Kenton or Lima.

Bob Reaks was shown the statement made by the Kenton paper this morning and to settle the question raised, he offered to match the Dutchman with Ackerman on even terms for any amount. In addition, he makes another proposition which is certainly a liberal one. He offers to meet Ackerman himself and agrees to throw him ten times in an hour the winner to take everything. He will make a side bet or let the match be for the entire gate receipts.

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Reak's match with Mitchell, the local colored wrestler Saturday night was a good drawing card, but it was evident that weight and strength was no match for science. Mitchell dodged Reak's dive for a hold, but dropped to the mat to prevent a toss. Reak's felt his man out and in two minutes and a half, had a hammer lock which put Mitchell's shoulders to the mat and ended the contest.

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Immediately after the bout, Reak's issued his usual challenge to throw any man of his weight in the world in fifteen minutes. He had been offered a match for the Dutchman by a stranger who came to Lima for the purpose, but the latter's superior weight barred him. Reak's challenged the stranger from the stage and after a short controversy it was accepted. No one knows who the wrestler is but he put up a forfeit to meet Reak's tonight, and the latter must throw him in 15 minutes. If he succeeds in doing so, be will give the stranger a chance at Fritz Hailfinger, the Flying Dutchman.

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Dan Bayliff has not lost his cunning and is getting down to hard training in prospect of a meeting under the auspices of the Athletic Club. Bayliff is one of the boxing veterans who has taken care of himself and knows that alcohol is not for a man who prides himself on muscle and endurance. He has fought many a battle, and is still open for the several chances that are now coming his way.

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Ackerman, the Kenton wrestler, was one of the mainstays of Kenton's basket ball team last year, and the defeat administered by Lima still rankles. While in the city Friday evening, he informed the writer that the team still lived and hoped to be able to meet Lima before the season closed to settle the old score.

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Fostoria and Findlay locked horns in a foot ball contest at Reeves Park Friday afternoon and the rivalry which had always existed between the two cities, made the game one for keeps. Findlay sent 400 rooters to the park and Fostoria as many more. From the very beginning it was observed that Fostoria was superior in weight and science and the team rubbed it in on Findlay by scoring 30 points to their rivals none. The shut out was where the shoe pinched hardest.

INSANE PRISONER MUTILATES HIMSELF.

Patrick Noon Uses a Knife in a Horrible Manner, and is at the Hospital.

Patrick Noon, of 1626 Fernwood avenue, Toledo, is a patient in the hospital in this city, suffering from horrible knife wounds that were inflicted by his own hand while he was a patient in the city prison Saturday evening. While in a fit of temporary insanity he disrobed himself and by the use of a pocket knife he had had concealed in his clothes he inflicted wounds by which he has unsexed himself for life.

Noon, appeared in this city last Thursday. He was well dressed and of fair appearance. He appeared at the station Thursday evening and asked permission to be locked up for the night. It is not customary for the police to give lodging to tramps or other strangers who have committed no offense but something about Noon impressed Capt. Goebel and he locked him up in the women's department where one or two other prisoners were confined at the time. The following day the other prisoners reported to the police that Noon showed symptoms of insanity and for this reason it was deemed advisable to detain him for a few days. He had evidently been indulging in considerable whiskey, and it was thoughtt that his unnatural mental condition was a result of this dissipation and that he would soon recover. Saturday, he was left alone and early in the evening as officers Ferguson was passing the door of the women's department, he noticed a pool of blood on the floor inside the prison. He reported his discovery to sergeant Wingate and together they entered the department and found Noon lying on the floor in the rear room with his clothing removed and his body covered with blood.

Physicians and Bennett's ambulance were called, and the mutitated prisoner was removed to the city hospital. His condition was reported as being considerably improved today, and it is thought that he will live.

A brother of Noon's came here from Toledo yesterday and visited the patient in the hospital. He states that the young man disappeared from his home in Toledo last week and that he had been under the influence of strong drink for about three weeks prior to his disappearance.

Ladies in need of winter hats, will do well to call at Miss Cahill's store, Opera House block, now being sold at assignee's sale. 28 tf

SHAWNEE COMMANDRY.

A special Conclave of Shawnee Commandry, No. 14 K. T., will be held Tuesday evening, Nov. 18, for work in the R. C. and K. Z. A. full attendance desired.

R. O. WOODS, E. C.
E. H. JOHNS, Rec.

CRUSH

Of Traffic is Without Parallel

In the History

Of the Lines West of Pittsburg.

All P. Ft. W. and C. Employes are Working Both Day and Night.

Line Has Two Hundred Miles of Sidings Jammed With Cars and There are Still More Coming.

"Never in the history of the country said a Pennsylvania official to a Chicago Record-Herald reporter, "has there been such a volume of business." It is so great we cannot handle it, and for that reason we will have to shut down our receiving offices for at least a week. That will give us an opportunity to catch up and will save us thousands of dollars in damages. The business is such that perishable goods are rotting on the tracks."

The Pittsburg yards have been filling up with loaded freight cars until now there is barely room for another car, but they still keep coming. Two hundred miles of siding are jammed with cars and there are no locomotives to move them. Cattle that arrived weeks ago bound for New York are still there. The Pennsylvania has borrowed as many engines as possible to handle freight, and has recently rented ten from the National Railroad of Mexico.

The heavy business of the lines west of Pittsburg is felt about as much here in Lima as at any one point between the Smoky and Windy cities. Agent Crooks and all of his force are working day and night, endeavoring to keep up with the heavy tide of traffic.

Atlantic Coast Line Meeting.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 17.—Stockholders of the Atlantic Coast Line are holding a special meeting here today to complete arrangements for taking over the physical control of the recently purchased Louisville and Nashville road. There is much speculation concerning the future policy to be pursued and the results of the meeting are awaited with keen interest in rail road and financial circles.

Plumes, feathers, ribbons, trimmings of all kinds, hats, trimmed and untrimmed, now being sold at assignee's sale, Miss Cahill's, Opera House block. 28-tf

GUESS WINNERS

In "Saturday's Contest" at the Big Store of the Newson Bond Co.

Saturday this firm opened to the public the new addition they have recently added to their store and invited the public to come in and inspect the largest and best stocked store in Lima. Music and flowers and bargains were in evidence on every floor. Thousands of people called during the afternoon and evening. The firm offered a prize of a beautiful rug to the person who would make the nearest guess to the number of the famous "Jewel" stoves and ranges sold by this store from Nov. 1st, 1901 to Nov. 1st, 1902. 3260 people registered their guesses. The exact number of "Jewel" stoves sold during this period was 562. The nearest correct guess received were the guesses of Mrs. Hattie Atkinson, of 232 south Main street, guess 560; Anna Kline, 614 west Wayne street, whose guess was 560; J. P. Grant, of Rouscup, Ohio, whose guess was 560, as these three people were the nearest correct and each made the same guess, they will decide by lot or purchase among themselves who will get the rug.

Miss Cahill's stock of millinery, all good goods, is now being sold at assignee's sale. Opera House black. Ladies call. 28-tf

It is said that every bride has many friends, but in a few years, they dwindle down to one. Thats Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes and keeps her well. 35 cents.

The Lima Dry Goods Co.

Weather—Rain. Monday, Nov. 17.

Second Week Of Great Anniversary Sale.

Today is the beginning of the second week of the great Anniversary Sale---and if the first week can be taken as a criterion of what the second week's business will be, we are indeed satisfied that this store never knew such a sale business before.

The progressive people of Lima appreciate anything that is done on a metropolitan plan. Perhaps this fact accounts for the unbounded enthusiasm this great sale has created. Or perhaps this, taken together with the fact that extremely low prices prevail, will account for the great crowds of anxious people that have been seen in this store all week. At any rate the fact remains that no such successful sale has been held in this city since this store was opened a year ago.

We are determined that this week shall by far out-shine all the glories of last week from a sales standpoint, and to this end we have decided not only to equal our low prices of last week, but to break our own record for low prices and offer some such values this week as were never offered before in Lima. Special effort will be made to draw attention to seasonable goods---nowhere will you find old and faded goods of a former season. It is our policy to sell off each year's goods as the season comes to a close, even if we have to do so at a loss. So, you will find nothing on our shelves that is not strictly new and bright---and this fact only enhances the attractiveness of the low prices.

In the Garment Section.

Coats.

Monte Carlo Coats, 27 inches long, made from handsome hair beaver, braid trimming and handsome satin lining, $14.00.

Monte Carlo Coats, 27 inches long, of very fine kersey, in all colors and every size, splendidly made and finished with high grade satin lining, exceptional value at $10.00 each.

Monte Carlo Coats of very fine quality Peau-de-Soie, 27 inches long, with full sleeve and cuff, neat collar and fancy cape, Anniversary Sale price $15.00.

Silk Monte Carlos, 32 inches long, handsomely trimmed with braid, extra quality, satin lining, special at $22.50.

Beautiful Velour Jackets, blouse front, with tight fitting back, Louis IV collar edged with Astrakan Fur and trimmed with fine jet, elegant garments in a variety of styles, at $15.00, $19.50 and $32.50.

Silk Monte Carlo Coats of fine Peau-de-Soie, trimmed with braid, braid ornaments and steel buttons, very choice garments, at $25.00 each.

Stylish Waists.

New white Mercerized Damask Shirt Waists, box plaited front with slot seams, trimmed with fine white pearl buttons, Anniversary Sale bargain at $3.75 each.

Fine Flannel Waists, all colors, open in back with accordean plaited front, collar trimmed with velvet, a very stylish garment at $3.48.

Printed Velvet Waists, new and very stylish back, blue and green, at $3.98 each.

Fine Serge Waists in variety of colors, with tucked front and back, special Anniversary Sale bargain at $2.98 each.

Thanksgiving Table Linens.

72-inch very fine bleached double damask, an Anniversary Sale bargain at $1.25 the the yard. 24-inch Napkins to match.

72-inch handsome bleached double Damask, $1.00 the yard. 24-inch Napkins to match.

Fine bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide, worth $1.15, for this Anniversary Sale at 89c the yard

70-inch extra heavy, fine quality unbleached Table Damask, 75c the yard.

64-inch extra heavy unbleached Table Damask, worth 75c, at 58c the yard.

64-inch Mercerized Table Damask, splendid value at 69c the yard.

Very fine bleached Table Damask, 2 1-2 yards wide, worth $1.50, Anniversary Sale price $1.00 the yard.

Extra fine quality fine bleached Napkins, everyone a special Anniversary Sale bargain at $1.89, $1.50 and $1.75 the dozen.

Handsome pattern Table Cloths, three sizes, special Anniversary Sale price $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 each.

Fringed Table Sets, large size fine bleached Table Cloth and one dozen Napkins, worth $2.75, Anniversary Sale price $2.00.

Great Dress Goods Values.

One lot 54-inch heavy all wool Rainy-Day Skirtings, regular price 1.00 and 1.25, Anniversary Sale price 69c the yard.

Special lot heavy Rainy-Day Skirtings, 27 inches wide, regular price 50c, Anniversary Sale price 35c the yard.

10 pieces fine fancy 36-inch Novelty Suiting, all desirable colors, regular price 25c, Anniversary Sale price 19c the yard.

52-inch fine all wool Covert Suiting, six handsome colorings, regular price 75c, at 59c the yard.

One lot very fine fancy Waistings in handsome delicate shades with Persian stripe, regular price 98c, but marked for this Anniversary Sale at 69c, the yard.

Fine Velvet Corduroy, 27 inches wide, brown, green, black, navy and fancy mixtures, regular price 75c, at 50c the yard.

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LUNG TROUBLE

Causes the Death of Miss Gertrude Faulkner.

Miss Gertrude Faulkner, daughter of Mrs. Wilson Faulkner, of the Wapakoneta road, died at 9:45 o'clock this morning, death resulting from lung trouble after an illness of twenty four weeks duration. The deceased was aged 22 years, and two months, and is survived by her mother, one brother and one sister.

Funeral services will be held from the Shawnee church at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

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CLUB WOMEN OF LONE STAR STATE

Opened Their Sixth Annual Meeting in Beaumont Today.

Beaumont, Texas, Nov. 17. -- The sixth annual meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs was called to order shortly after 9 o'clock this morning by Mrs. Percy V. Pennebacker, of Austin, the state president. The auditorium was elaborately decorated. More than 300 delegates and visiting club women were present. Addresses were delivered on behalf of the city and the local club women and the response was by Mrs. John C. Coit, of Denton. Reports for the district presidents were presented as follows: Mrs. J. D. Osborne, Cleburne, for the North Central district; Mrs. John B. Goodhue, of Beaumont, for the Southwestern district; Mrs. Edmund Key, of Marshall for the Northeastern district; Miss Cockrell, of Abilene, for the northwestern district, and Mrs. Milton W. Sims, of Bryan, for the Southwestern district.

Reports of the various federation officers and the election of new members were the principal features of business at the afternoon session. This evening the delegates are to listen to an address by Mrs. D. T. S. Denison, of New York City, president of the General Federation of Women's clubs.

The sessions of the convention are to continue until next Friday. The promotion of the educational movement is to be the principal work of the present gathering. The federation hopes to be able to raise an endowment fund for scholarships in the state university for poor but deserving girls. The movement has aroused general interest throughout the state and promises to result successfully.

THE STAGE.

For those who are fond of a drama that appeals directly to the heart, and though pathetic in its general tenor is without a clean comedy drama, "The Fatal Wedding," which is the attraction at the Faurot opera house tonight, should prove of interest. The scenes of the play are laid in New York and various incidents it contains are all based upon life in the great metropolis. From the rise of the curtain until the final fall, the interest of the auditor never fags and as pathetic scenes and startling climaxes pass in rapid succession, here and there is interspersed comedy of no mean order, which materially lightens the heavier parts. The play when first produced, proved an instantaneous success. It has been playing to standing room only, nightly, and the vociferous applause which the climaxes elicit, proves conclusively the entire success of the production. The characters are interpreted by a company of unusual merit, each member being chosen for his or her fitness for the role portrayed. Particular attention is called to little Lillian Rosewood, a child actress of more than ordinary ability, who in the character of Jessie, the "little mother," wins the audience from her first entrance and holds them fast until the end.

At the Faurot next Wednesday, Nov. 19, will be seen Uncle Tom's Cabin on a larger and grander scale than ever before. Al. W. Martin's big, $30,000 production is certainly the most pretentious that has ever been given Harriet Beecher Stowe's immortal work. It cost $30,000 to put it on the stage. Scenically it has never been equaled. The cast numbers sixty people and at the head of the list is the inimitable Frank Leo, the prince of black-face characters, actors and minstrel men without a peer. The balance of the company has been selected with special care, and it is said to be unsurpassed since the day of Newton Gotthold, Stockwell and Eva Miller. Many bright specialties enliven the scenes, buck and wing dancing and jubilee shouting being a special feature. The company will make a special grand street parade every day during its stay here. Its brass bands, pickaninnies and golden chariots attract much attention.

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HUMOR IN HORSES.

Story of an Animal That Has More Than Its Share.

Only those who are unfamiliar with animals doubt that they have a sense of humor. Jimmy is a lively road horse who has ideas of his own and very original conceptions of what is amusing. One day the children had erected a small tent on the lawn and sat within it drinking lemonade and playing that they were banditti. Jimmy walked softly up to the side of the tent and slowly inserted his nose through a convenient slit, says Our Dumb Animals. Eyes and ears followed and, his head once within at the back of the unsuspicious revelers, Jimmy gave one tremendous sneeze of that kind which is half a snort.

The banditti fell back in every direction, and the horse, withdrawing from the tent, laughed silently to himself before going back to his grass cropping. Jimmy's favorite amusement is that of scattering a flock of sheep. When he is feeding with them in the pasture, he suddenly stops eating and then dashes among them, sending them scudding over the hillside. Then he stands watching them until they again settle to their nibbling and after a short luncheon of his own repeats the pleasing diversion. Although this horse is the gentlest creature in the world, it pleases him exceedingly to frighten any one who has shown timidity in his presence.

Jimmy's two mistresses harness him without trouble or danger, but he delights in alarming one girl cousin who visits at the house. Sundry fidgetings and nervous starts of her own were enough to show Jimmy of what manner and temperament she was, and he is merciless in taking advantage of that knowledge. If she enters the stable where he stands accepting the harness in the most docile manner, he opens his mouth, showing a wicked row of teeth, and makes a feint of snapping at her. She shrieks, his mistress scolds and reasons with him, and Jimmy apparently is then repentant.

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POSTPONED.

W. A. Brundige did not deliver his address last night in the Wayne street Church of Christ on the "Four Baptisms of the New Testament," because of the rain keeping away those who desired to hear him speak. He will take up the subject in one week.

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By Sight, Smell and Taste He Tests the Quality of Liquors and Hence He Must Lead a Life at Once Rigorous and Ascetic.

Many hotels and restaurants of importance as well as many wholesale and retail liquor dealing firms employ a wine expert. It is the duty of this man to pass upon the quality of all wines, brandies, whiskies and other alcoholic beverages handled by his house. He works with an empty stomach, and he makes his tests through the three senses of sight, which tests the spirit's color and clarity; smell, which tests its odor, and taste, the most important sense, which tests its flavor. To keep these senses at once delicate and sharp the expert must not use tobacco, and in the use of liquors he must be temperate to the point of teetotalism.

If two glasses of champagne are set before a clever wine expert, one a champagne of the vintage of 1864, the other of the vintage of 1888, he will tell readily which is which. There are indeed a half dozen vintages which he can designate by their taste alone without the helpful presence of the labeled bottle.

The wine expert must also have a profound knowledge of red wines. Among the red wines of France he must be able to tell those of the Garonne from those of Burgundy and of Dauphiny.

In the white wines also he must be learned, and he should have no difficulty in distinguishing the champagnes of Sillery, of Ay, of Reims and of Epernay and in distinguishing also their best vintages. Among the other French white wines he must know those of Santerne, Barsac, Preignac and Bommes. And the Spanish white wines of Xeres, the German white wines of Johannisberg, Steinberg and Hockheim must be like old time friends.

Whiskies and brandies are divisions of his work that are as important as the wines. He must tell at a glance whether a brandy has been aged in wood or in glass, and he must not only separate with ease the Irish, the Scotch and the American whiskies, but he even must designate the districts in which each was distilled.

Considering his knowledge the salary of the wine expert is not great. It averages $40 a week. Occasionally it falls as low as $25, and occasionally it mounts to munificence.

The expert must not eat rich, heavy foods and pastries. He must not keep late hours. His life, in a word, must be as temperate as that of an athlete in training. This is in order that his senses of sight and taste and smell may be at their best always. Smoking is bad for the smell; rich foods are bad for the taste; late hours or any sort of dissipation, even the mildest, is bad for the health generally and for all the senses, sight in particular; hence the rigorous and ascetic life of the wine expert.

The wine expert works with stomach empty, for then his taste and smell are at their keenest. He works on bright days only in a room flooded with sunlight, for then he can best weigh a liquor's color and lucidity. He uses glasses of the oddest shapes—a different glass almost for every liquor—for these help him to distinguish the most delicate gradations of smell and color. The brandy glass, for instance, has a bowl almost as big as a washbowl. The bottom of this bowl the brandy covers in the thinnest layer. The expert puts his face down close and, with his nose inside the bowl, rolls the brandy about, thus getting the full bouquet of the liquor.

He must never swallow the beverages he tests. He holds them in his mouth about a minute, rolling them upon his tongue and letting them touch his palate, and that is sufficient for an accurate judgment. To swallow them would not aid him, for there are no nerves of taste in the stomach. To swallow them would, on the contrary, hinder him, sending him drunk to bed each testing day.

The expert of a large and fashionable New York hotel in discussing the other day his business said:

"What is more difficult than to describe in words the taste of anything? How, for instance, would you say what bread tastes like or meal or potatoes?

"But red wines have, after all, a definable taste. The poor red wines are earthy. They have a flavor of fresh soil. The good ones taste like field mushrooms, and the best ones taste like truffles. But the taste of whiskies and brandies and white wines is not to be defined in any such concrete way as this.

"The wine science is a nice one. Few men know it. Few men indeed can tell with their eyes shut whisky from brandy or ale from beer. Few men who use liquor even know the wines that custom demands should be drunk with a dinner at which wine is served."

When asked what those wines were, he said:

"Sauterne with the oysters, sherry with the soup, Rhine wine with the fish, claret with the roast, champagne with the game, salad and dessert and cognac with the coffee."—New York Tribune.

The Amendment.

Wantanno—Here, read over this feature of the proposed charter amendment and tell me what it means.

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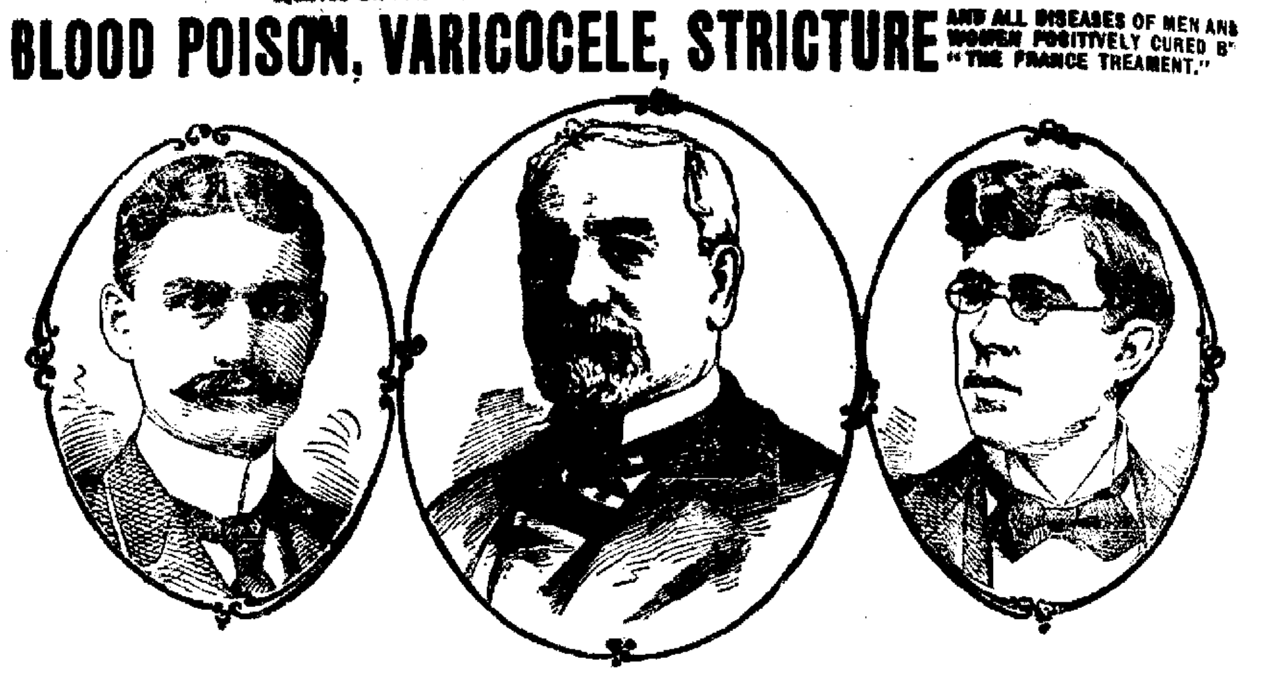

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Smith is stationed at the Central Fire Station, corner Fifth and Valley streets, Burlington, Ia., and in referring to the accident, he said to a reporter: "My whole system had received a violent shock which affected my nerves fearfully. The doctor said I had nervous prostration. I would often start trembling out of a troubled sleep, covered with perspiration, and imagining something horrible was about to happen. There would be times when my whole body would be numb and then again there would be terrible cramps in my limbs.

"For a long time after leaving the hospital I was so weak that I could not walk across the room and my strength steadily refused to return. I could not eat and the tonics and appetizers they gave me did me no good. I was too sick to go on duty and the doctor said it would take a long time to recuperate. I was discouraged and disheartened.

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A company has been organized with Chas. H. Adkins, former member of the Ohio legislature, as president; J. W. Beall, city editor of the Times-Democrat, as secretary; Granville W. Mathews, as treasurer, Dr. D. H. Sullivan, director; L. H. Rogers, mayor of Lima, Ohio, director; Wm. R. Mehaffey, ex-post master, Lima, Ohio, director and superintendent, and Wm. R. McComb, Jr., former mayor of Lima, Ohio, director, which has purchased some valuable properties in the famous lead and zinc fields of southwestern Missouri. The company is organized under the laws of the Territoy of Arizona. Capital stock, $300,000, divided into three hundred thousand shares, par value $1.00 each, absolutely non-assessable. The properties purchased by this company are now paying a weekly net profit of $1,000, which means an annual dividend of at least 70 per cent on the amount invested, payable monthly. The company will begin paying dividends about January 1st. The company has some valuable leases that are yet undeveloped, also a valuable property in the heart of the mining district on which it desires to erect a steam hoister in addition to the one already operating on the property, and a concentrating plant for the purpose of crushing and cleaning the ore from the two shafts on said property. For the purpose of doing this, and also for the purpose of making the final payment on another of its valuable properties it has decided to sell a limited number of shares of the capital stock at 25c on the dollar. When this is done the net profits will be greatly increased, which means a probable dividend of 150 per cent on the investment. Mr. Mehaffey, as general superintendent for the company, is in the field, and is constantly securing valuable territory for the company. The lead and zinc field of Missouri is the world's greatest lead and zinc field and yet mining there is just in its infancy. Until recent years the methods of mining were of the most primitive character. Lead has been mined in this district for more than two hundred years, and zinc since 1874. Zinc was an unknown quantity as to value prior to that time. The recent discovery that immense beds of zinc underlie the deposits of lead has given this mining industry an impetus unknown to any other mining region in the world. Hoisting works, mills, smelters, refineries and lead works are in evidence in all directions. The ore bearing dirt is crushed by steel-jawed crushers, and nests of white metal rolls. Hence the attention of the outside world has recently been attracted to the fabulous deposits of mineral underlying this section, and eastern capital is being invested here at the rate of about six million dollars per year. If these investments are good for eastern capital, why not for us? Only 4 per cent of the now well known mineral belt has been touched, leaving 96 per cent yet undisturbed, but which is being very rapidly developed, building up fortunes not hoped for are realized along ordinary business lines.

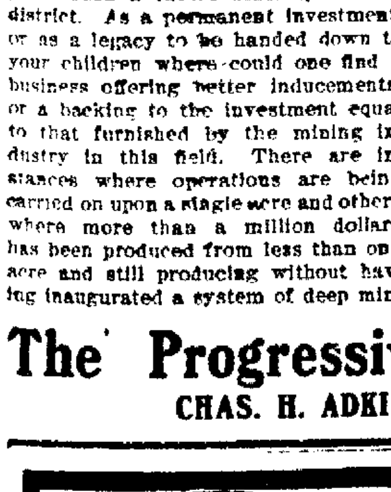
No industry in the world furnishes as good opportunities for getting rich as the lead and zinc field of Missouri. Now is the time to operate in the field and get the best results. An important feature of the mining industry here and absent in too many mining districts is the continuity of the ore bodies peculiar to this district. In some cases ages would be required to extract the ore, and it is this that gives such a future stability to this district. As a permanent investment, or as a legacy to be handed down to your children where could one find a business offering better inducements, or a backing to the investment equal to that furnished by the mining industry in this field. There are instances where operations are being carried on upon a single acre and others where more than a million dollars has been produced from less than one acre and still producing without having inaugurated a system of deep mining to reach the great bodies of ore that have never yet been touched. Deep drilling has shown that this vast area of territory is underlaid with zinc ore to a great depth, and that the work now going on is just in the upper crust of the great ore deposits. The ore deposits are therefore, practically inexhaustible. New fields are being tested from time to time, and each test discloses the same rich ore. Mines once given up have been revived with astonishing results, and have proven to be among the very richest.

No other mining section can point to as many successful efforts and immense fortunes as can the operators of the zinc field of Missouri. Stocks and bonds of companies engaged in this industry are bought and sold the same as corn and wheat in the markets of the world. In 1901 Cripple Creek produced six million dollars in gold, while this lead and zinc field alone produced over ten million. In 1899 the value of zinc and lead from this district was nineteen million, while California produced fifteen million in gold. This district ranks now with the greatest mineral districts of the world, and in a short time will surpass all others. No grander opportunity has ever been offered for making money, as the percentage of losses in this industry are less than those in either the mercantile or professional business, and the fortunes made are beyond anything hoped for in either mercantile or professional lines. The ore is noted for its purity and high grade, assaying as high at 67 per cent, and is now selling from $36 to $40 per ton. The demand is constantly increasing, while the supply in other fields is constantly decreasing, insuring a steady market and high prices for the products in this field.

The uses to which lead and zinc are put are too numerous to mention. It is enough to say that the supply is nothing like equal to the demand. Co-operation and honest management make profits absolutely certain. The properties of this company are situated in the very heart of the richest mining district, a portion of it being the famous Chitwood Hollow, surrounded by the most famous zinc mines in the world. The ore bodies have just been opened up on this property, showing an inexhaustible supply. A first class concentrating plant with two steam hoisters, steam drills, and two shafts are in operation. Dwelling house, blacksmith shop and everything complete for running an up-to-date property. Steam process all the way through. Located on nine acres of ground. The company also holds 80 acres of undeveloped land in what is known as the Dulunwig and Webb City district. Operations are being carried on all around this property. The company also has 10 acres in the Webb City district on which are two shafts, one now being operated with a steam hoister and band jigs, having just been put in operation and is showing a very rich run of both lead and zinc. The company desires to place a steam hoister on the other shaft and erect a concentrating plant when this can be made one of the best paying mines in the district. The late W. D. Stratton, one of the most successful miners in the world, had one rule that he never violated, and that was, that no reasonable mining proposition was ever presented to him that he did not investigate and give a hearing. A careful investigation of our properties can be made by calling at the office of the company, 202½ north Main street, Lima, Ohio, Law Office of Charles H. Adkins, where maps, specimens of ore and full information can be had. Stock will only be on the market for a few days. Call personally or you can mail your orders direct to the Progressive Mining Company, Lima, Ohio, with the amount you wish to invest, stating to whom you desire your certificate issued, and certificate will be sent you by return mail. Those who purchase their stock early will derive the greatest profit, as stock will be advanced in price in a few days, and without notice.

The Progressive Mining Co.,

CHAS. H. ADKINS, Pres., Lima, O.



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DEATH AND DESTRUCTION

Caused by a Frightful Wreck on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Engineer Forgot His Orders and His Carelessness Led to a Serious Loss of Life and Property.

The wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad, near Warsaw, Ind., Saturday morning, was one of the most disastrous the company has eexperienced on the western division in years, and aside from the enormous loss, the life of brakeman E. W. Cowell was sacrificed through the carelessness of an engineer. The Fort Wayne Sentinel gives the following detailed account of the frightful collision:

The failure of an engineer to read his orders correctly caused a collision between freight trains on the Pittsburg road a mile east of Warsaw at 12:30 o'clock this morning, which resulted in the fatal injury of one man and slight injuries to three others, the killing of forty-five cattle and twelve horses, the destruction of two locomotives and twelve to fifteen cars and serious damage to the tracks. The unfortunate ones are.

Brakeman E. W. Cowell, crushed about the chest and head; he died at 1:10 o'clock.

Engineer J. C. Pearson, left arm and shoulder bruised and sprained; not serious.

Engineer J. F. Archer, right hand and wrist cut, not serious.

Conductor Charles C. Plybon, bruised and shaken up by falling from a car.

The trains were the second No. 76, east bound hauled by engine 7260, with John C. Pearson at the throttle, in charge of Conductor C. C. Plybon, and the second section of No. 75, west bound, in charge of Conductor F. B. Tyler, hauled by engine 7058, with Engineer J. F. Archer in the cab. The scene of the wreck is a sharp curve east of Warsaw, where a view of the road is limited to a few rods.

The impact, as described by the trainmen, was terrific. The engines seemed to half bury themselves in each other and the cars were driven over and under each other until most all of those near the engine were nothing but splinters and scraps of and the second section of No. 75, four cars loaded with cattle and one car loaded with horses. When the collision occurred the car loaded with the horses seemed to rear up and it was carried on top of a car of cattle, crushing the latter and killing all the cattle but one—a bull, who scrambled to his feet and walked away as soon as released from the debris. The other three cars loaded with cattle were crushed into a very small space and their occupants killed outright or so badly injured that many of them had to be killed after they were taken out of the wreck. The bellowing of the wounded animals was simply frightful and a gentleman who was on the scene soon after the accident says it was the most pitiable sight he ever looked upon.

Train 75 was made up principally of gondolas and flat cars loaded with coal and iron. Ten of these which were nearest the engine were wrecked, some of them so badly that they cannot be repaired and they will be burned.

It was on one of these cars that Brakeman Cowell was riding. He was missing, and when a search was instituted by the train crews they found the brakeman beneath the wreckage, unconscious and bleeding severely. He was taken to a nearby farm house, where he received attention from Drs. Weber and Shackelford, of Warsaw, who were summoned to the scene, and later Dr. C. B. Stemen, of this city.

Dr. Stemen was notified of the accident at 1 o'clock and was hastened to the scene on a special train. He found Mr. Cowell so badly injured that he could not survive and concluded that it would only hasten death to attempt to bring the man to this city, and he was left in the care of the Warsaw physicians. Dr. Stemen saw that Cowell's chest and head were crushed and that his death was only a matter of a few hours. He was bleeding from the nose and mouth and riding on the train would augment this hemorrhage and on this account he was not brought home with the others.

The engineers received their injuries through jumping from their cabs. Engineer Pearson alighted on his left shoulder and the side of his head, and his injuries are confined to bruises and sprains. He was found in a dazed condition, leaning against a telegraph pole, after the collision by Conductor Plybon, but he soon revived and was able to render assistance in the search for the missing brakeman. Engineer Archer was carried into a barbed-wire fence by the momentum when he jumped from his engine and his right hand and wrist were cut. Conductor Plybon and his brakemen were on the top of their train setting the hand brakes in the hope of averting a serious collision when the impact occurred and he was thrown from the car. His injuries are a few bruises, not serious enough to disable him in the least. G. F. Conrady and H. O. Dermody, the firemen, the former on engine 7058 and the latter on engine 7260, also jumped but neither was injured.

Engineers Pearson and Archer were brought to this city on passenger train No. 6 and are now at their respective homes.

The wreck completely blocked the tracks at that point and some of the passenger trains were delayed from one to five hours. No. 6, on which the injured engineers came to this city, did not get in until 9:30 o'clock.

Engineer Pearson was interviewed by a Sentinel reporter as he alighted from the train at the depot. He said. "The accident was caused by a mistake on my part. I had instructions to pass the first section of 75 at Bourbon, which I did, and the second section at Warsaw. I forgot the latter part of the order and did not stop at Warsaw. When I discovered my error I did what I could to prevent a collision, but the train was heavy and we were moving rapidly and I could not stop."

E. W. Cowell, the injured brakeman, died at 10 o'clock today. The young man was twenty-one years old and a brother of Engineer William Cowell, of the Pittsburg. His parents reside at Dixon and they have gone to the bedside of their boy. He was employed on the road about a year, was a good employe and very popular with his fellow trainmen. Yesterday this young man applied for an insurance policy of $1, in the Prudential company and in the afternoon was examined by Dr. E. J. McOscar. He was to return this evening and undergo the final examination.

W. A. Herren, of Finch, Ark., writes, "I wish to report that Foley's Kidney Cure has cured a terrible case of kidney and bladder trouble that two doctors had given up.'

H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

Friends.

Miss Gush—What do you suppose the result would be if we could hear what our friends say about us in our absence?

Miss Candor—I think we'd have a trifle more modesty and considerable fewer friends.—Town and Country.

plying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Kellar, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts, bruises and sprains. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

An Irish Railroad Puzzle.

A Santa Fe conductor on a Los Angeles train told a reporter of the San Bernardino Sun that his grandfather remembered a sign which was erected at a point on a double track railroad in Ireland to the effect that "when two trains meet here they must come to a standstill until they have passed each other."

For sick headache try Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets; they will ward off the attack if taken in time. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

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Are generally caused by the blood becoming impure thereby depriving them of the proper strengthening nourishment. To cure weak nerves you must, therefore, first purify and cleanse the blood. Then you need Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It will perfect the digestion, make an abundance of healthy blood, strengthen the nerves and cure Dyspepsia, Constipation, Billiousness and Malaria. Try it and be convinced.

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HOMESEEKERS EXCURSION.

The Erie railroad will sell cheap round trip tickets on Nov. 18th Dec. 2nd and 16th to various points in Arizona, Arkansas, Kansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Iowa, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Neoraska, Wyoming, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and North Carolina. Cheap one way "Colonist tickets will be sold on above dates to points in Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Nebraska, Indian Territory and New Mexico. For full information, call on Erie, or write.

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HE COULD HARDLY GET UP.

P. H. Duffey, of Ashiey, Ill., writes, "This is to certify that I have taken two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure and it has helped me more than any other medicine. I tried many advertised remedies, but none of them gave me any relief. My druggist recomended Foley's Kidney Cure and it has cured me. Before commencing its use I was in such a shape that I could hardly get up when once down."

H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

REDUCED FARE

West, Northwest, South and Southwest Via. Pennsylvania Lines.

Home seekers' excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines November 18th, and December 2nd and 16th to points in the west, northwest, south and southwest. For particulars regarding time of trains, etc., apply to ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines. 27-d&w-tt

In reply to inquiries we have pleasure in announcing that Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is like the solid preparation of that admirable remedy in that it cleanses and heals membranes affected by nasal catarrh. There is no drying or sneezing. The Liquid Cream Balm is adapted to use by patients who have trouble in inhaling through the nose and prefer spraying. The price, including spraying tube, is 75 cents. Sold by druggists or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Man's Influence.

The only responsibility that a man cannot evade in this life is the one he thinks of least, his personal influence. Man's conscious influence when he is on dress parade, when he is posing to impress those around him, is woefully small, but his unconscious influence, the silent, subtle radiation of his personality, the effect of his words and acts, the trifles he never considers, is tremendous. Every moment of life he is changing to a degree the life of the whole world. Every man has an atmosphere which is affecting every other. So silently and unconsciously is this influence working that man may forget that it exists.—W. G. Jordan.

When You Get a Headache

don't waste a minute but go to your druggist and get a box of Krause's Headache Capsules. They will prevent pain, even though your skull were cracked. They are harmless, too. Read the guarantee. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

Material For a Whole Chapter.

"Have you—aw—ever thought what you would do," asked the literary foreigner as his cable train entered the tunnel, "if this structure should cave in when you were about half way through?"

"Often," replied the Chicago man. "I should demand the return of my nickel."

And the literary foreigner made a memorandum in his notebook. He had discovered another interesting peculiarity in Americans.—Chicago Record-Herald.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

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Sufferer—I can't stand it any longer; I'm going to the dentist's this instant to have this tooth out.

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If you have a bad cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to loosen and relieve it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice corner. e

A FEAST

OF GOOD THINGS.

St. Nicholas in 1903 Promises to Go Far Beyond Its Past Successes.

Professor John Bach McMaster recently wrote to the editors of St. Nicholas: "Thank you very heartily for the pleasure and profit St. Nicholas brings to my boys."

Boys—and girls—are very much alike the world over. The delight and help that St. Nicholas is giving to Professor McMaster's boys, and thousands of other girls and boys, it holds for every girl and boy who can understand English.

Since the first number of St. Nicholas was published, nearly thirteen years ago, many weekly and monthly publications for children have come and gone; but St. Nicholas still holds its place, the unrivalled "prince of periodicals for young folks." It was never more enjoyed by its readers than now, for in addition to the usual serial stories, short articles, etc. there is a department called "The St. Nicholas League," in which the children themselves have an opportunity to take part. There are said to be nearly fifty thousand children now belonging to the League, and prizes are given out each month for the best stories, poems, drawings and photographs sent in by the young members. Any reader of St. Nicholas may become a member.

St. Nicholas announces for 1903 "The Story of King Arthur," written and illustrated by Howard Pyle, a companion story to his famous "Robin Hood," but which readers of the manuscript think surpasses that in the strength and interest of the narrative and beauty of the illustrations. Two short stories by Miss Alcott, written for her own little nieces and never before published, will soon appear in St. Nicholas, with other stories and articles by the author of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," by Ruth McEnery Stuart, Frank R. Stockton, Clara Morris, and scores of other well-known writers. St. Nicholas makes a specialty of papers of information, richly illustrated articles on practical subjects, like the navy Yard, the Assay Office, etc.

The price of St. Nicholas is three dollars a year. The publishers announce that new subscribers who begin with January may receive the November and December numbers free, and so begin the volume and get the commencement of all the serials. The publishers are The Century Co., Union Square, New York. 26-3t

H. F. Vortkamp guarantees every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. nov 1-4m

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By sending 13 miles Wm. Spirey, of Walton Furnace, Vt., got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, that wholly cured a horrible fever sore on his leg. Bruises, Felons, Ulcers, Eruptions, Nothing else could. Positively cures Boils, Burns, Corns and Piles. Only 25c. Guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Charles H. Roser, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Charles H. Roser, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 30th day of October, A. D. 1902.

W. J. RICHIE,
15-3w Administrator.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Keziah McGinnis, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Keziah McGinnis, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of November, A. D., 1902.

BELLE McCARTY.
Richie, Leland & Roby, Attys. 3w

NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS.

State of Ohio, Allen County, ss.
In the Court of Common Pleas.
Case No. 11093.
Frederick M. Rhode, plaintiff,
vs.
Mary E. Rhode, defendant.

Mary E. Rhode, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 5th day of December, A. D. 1902, the above named plaintiff will take the deposition of Hattie C. Clinton, of Oneota, N. Y., to be used as evidence in the trial of the above cause in behalf of the plaintiff at the office of Gibbs & Wilbus, attorneys-at-law in the county of Otsego, in the state of New York, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. of said day, and that the taking of the same will be adjourned from day to day between the same hours until they are completed.

FREDERICK M. RHODE,
By R. L. ARMSTRONG,
25-3w Attorney for Plaintiff.

TIMES OF HOLDING COMMON PLEAS COURT, A. D. 1903.

State of Ohio Third Judicial District.

It is ordered that the terms of Common Pleas Court of the several counties in said Third Judicial District for the year 1903 be fixed as follows, to-wit: In

Shelby county on the 23rd day of February, the 18th day of May and the 16th day of November.

Auglaize county on the 19th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 28th day of September.

Allen county on the 19th day of January, the 20th day of April and the 5th day of October.

Mercer county on the 19th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 28th day of September.

Van Wert county on the 23rd day of February, the 18th day of May and the 16th day of November.

Putnam county on the 12th day of January, the 7th day of April and the 21st day of September.

Paulding county on the 12th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 14th day of September.

Defiance county on the 9th day of March, the 1st day of June and the 9th day of November.

Henry county on the 9th day of March, the 1st day of June and the 23rd day of November.

Fulton county on the 9th day of February, the 4th day of May and the 26th day of October.

Williams county on the 10th day of February, the 5th day of May and the 13th day of October.

Said terms to begin at ten o'clock A. M.

Lima, O., Oct. 21, 1902.

We re-elect Hon. S. A. Armstrong judge of said district for 1903.

M. DONNELLY,
S. A. ARMSTRONG,
HUGH T. MATHERS, } Judges.
WM. H. CUNNINGHAM,
WILLIAM H. HUBBARD

Certificate of Copy.

The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss.

I, M. J. Sullivan, clerk of the court of common pleas within and for the aforesaid county and state, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original times for holding common pleas court now on file in said clerk's office, in the cause.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, at Lima, Ohio, this 11th day of November A. D. 1902.

[SEAL] M. J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
By E. G. MACKENZIE, Deputy.

NOTICE.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of John F. Beidelschies. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said assignor will please settle with undersigned and all persons holding claims against assignor will file the same at once.

H. P. WILLIAMSON.
Ridenour & Halfhill, Attys. 25-3w

NOTICE OF PETITION TO VACATE ALLEY.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, signed by Susan English, Wm. C. Mathews, Jos. Forshe, and Delbert Galloway praying for the vacation of an alley located between lot numbers 4373, 4374, 4383 and 4379 and running from East Second street to Holmes street. Said petition is now pending before said council and will come up for final action on the 24th day of November, 1902.

FRED C. BEAM
Clerk of the City of Lima, Ohio.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 11185.
The Indemnity Savings & Loan Co., of Lima, Ohio, plaintiff
vs.
Elmira VasBinder, et al., defendants.
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, November 22nd, 1902.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

And known as being all of lot number four (4) in the subdivision of the central part of the west half of the west half of the northwest quarter of section number six (6), town four (4), south, range seven (7) east, except that portion of the north part of said lot number four (4) above described now occupied by the south portion of the Boysell and Reece brick block; said brick block being located on lot number five (5) and the north part of said lot number four (4), being a lot of land fronting forty-eight and one-half feet (48½), on south Main street and extending east two hundred and sixteen (216) feet to an alley.

Appraised at $4,000.00.
Terms: Cash.

E. J. FARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio.
Lima, Ohio, October 22, 1902.
COPELAND & ROGERS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Louis Quong, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Louis Quong, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of November, A. D., 1902.

E. S. BOPE.
Richie, Leland & Roby, Attys. 3w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Loretta O. Fiske, deceased.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Loretta O. Fiske, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28 day of Oct. A. D. 1902.

14-3w CLOYD J. BROTHERTON.

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GIGANTIC OIL DEAL CLOSED.

Roth, Argue & Co. Sell All of Their Holdings in Ohio Fields.

Consideration of Over Three Hundred Thousand Dollars Paid for Leases and Production in Four Counties in Northwestern Ohio.

One of the most important and most gigantic oil deals that has ever been made in producing oil territory during the history of the Lima oil field was closed in this city Saturday and today. The deal involves a transfer of leases on about eight thousand acres of tested oil territory and about two hundred producing wells with a production of something like fifteen thousand barrels of crude petroleum per month. The property involved is all embraced within the boundaries of developed territory in Allen, Auglaize, Mercer and Van Wert counties.

The parties making the big purchase are all prominent eastern capitalists constituting the Lima Oil company, a newly formed corporation, organized under the laws of New Jersey, with a capital stock of $1,000,000., $600,000 of which is authorized stock. The officers of the company are Willard Brown, of 71 Broadway, New York, president; David J. Kelley, of New York, vice president and general manager; Joseph H. Parker, a New York banker, treasurer; and Erwine York, of New York, secretary. The name "Lima Oil company," is not an unfamiliar one in the history of the Lima oil field, a company of Lima operators having been formed under that name in the early history of the field, but the original corporation became defunct several years ago, and the charter forfeited, and the new corporation is formed entirely new and chiefly by capitalists who have not heretofore been connected with the oil trade in the Ohio fields.

The principals of the company making the sale are far better known among those of the oil producing fraternity of the Lima field, the original owners of the property purchased by the Lima Oil Co., being Roth, Argue & Co., who have for several years been among the heaviest operators and producers in the local fields.

The persons interested in the deal repaired to the Norval and were served with a special course dinner after the final affairs of the transfer had been closed this afternoon and Mr. Kelley, vice president and general manager of the Lima Oil Co., when called from the banquet table for an interview, very courteously gave out the coveted information concerning the mammoth deal. As to the consideration paid for the Roth, Argue & Co., property, however, he simply said that the amount was "better than three hundred thousand dollars."

At the recorder's office was placed on file today, two transfers and a deed of trust which converted the ownership of the property first to D. J. Kelley as trustee and from him to the Lima Oil company. The deed of trust is a voluminous pamplet which enumerates every article of personal property included in the purchase and the transfers contain a description of the leases owned in Allen county.

The local territory is confined to the townships of Shawnee, German, Amanda and Jackson, and the records show the owners of the land from whom leases were originally obtained to be as follows:

Shawnee—John O. Breese, 80 acres; Geo. Breese, 80 acres and 5 completed wells; James Yoakum, 306 acres and [illegible] wells; D. M. Breese, 170 acres and [illegible] wells.

German—Mary [illegible], trustee, 40 acres and [illegible] wells; James Boog, [illegible] acres and 3 wells.

Amanda—Samuel Lutz, 130 acres; J. O. Stevick, 20 acres; Addie Harter, 80 acres; B. F. Southworth, 182 acres; T. B. Winans, 40 acres; Ollo Allison, 49 acres.

Jackson—David May, [illegible] acres and 1 well; Robert Watt, 1[illegible] acres and 10 wells; Jacob Hafner, 20 acres and 3 wells; R. E. McIlvaine, 80 acres; S. M. McKee, 40 acres; James McKee, 80 acres; J. W. Hesseh, 80 acres; J. R. Hawk, 70 acres and 5 wells; F. M. Thayer, 130 acres.

JUSTICE

Mowen Presides in the Mayor's Court.

Drunks and Fighters the Only Ones Arraigned.

One Prisoner Fined for a Double Header—One Man Charged With Carrying Concealed Weapons.

On account of Mayor Rogers' absence from the city, Justice J. W. Mowen presided in mayor's court this morning and disposed of a number of cases. Archie Huston received the heaviest dose of the court's session. He was arrested for drunkenness Saturday and being released took on another load Sunday. He was fined $11.60.

George Jones and Joseph Toner were fined $8.60 each, for drunkenness.

Frank Albert, charged with carrying concealed weapons, Jordon Blizzard, charged with drunkenness, and William Sirks and William Clinger, farmers charged with fighting, are all booked to appear for arraignment at 7 o'clock this evening.

INJURED

On Election Day and Taken Home Yesterday.

Andrew Shaw, living two miles south of Westminster, was taken to his home in Bennett's ambulance yesterday. On the evening of election day, while in this city he sustained a severe fall which resulted in a very bad fracture to one of his legs. He remained at the home of friends on south Pine street until yesterday.

COMMITTEE

From City Council Will Go to Dayton,

And from There to Cincinnati to Examine Into the Market House Proposition.

The market committee from the city council, consisting of H. F. Vortkamp, chairman, Dr. Bowser, A. Sherman and Ed. Smith, will go to Dayton tomorrow morning to examine the market house condition ordinances, etc. From Dayton, the committee will go on to Cincinnati, where they will make a similar investigation.

Entire stock of Miss Cahill Opera House block, now being sold at assignee's sale. This is the place to buy your winter millinery. 28-tf

FOR CHRISTMAS

See What You Can Find at the Helser Studio.

Christmas is not so very far away now, and for a present there is nothing more appropriate and certainly more pleasing than a photograph, providing it is a good likeness and well finished. That's the kind Helser has. A look around his studio on the east side of the square, No. 56½, will give anyone an idea of how far photographing has advanced. Mr. Helser has in the past, finished hundreds of portraits which cannot be surpassed in the state. One of the strongest points in the fine work turned out by the Helser studio is children's portraiture.

It will be worth your while to stop in and see them. Portraits finished in carbon and platinum are the finest obtainable, and one of these finishes on a new Intaglio mount, makes as fine a remembrance for Christmas or any other time as can be found.

You are cordially invited to call at the Helser studio and have the foregoing statements verified.

FIRE

Heavy Damage Last Night.

Banta Building

Occupied by American Laundry,

Gutted by a Fire That Started from a Mysterious Source.

Machinery Badly Damaged by Fire and Water—Report of an Explosion Heard as the Fire Started.

At 8:15 o'clock last evening the central fire department was called out by an alarm that was telephoned in announcing that the American Laundry, situated in the old Banta candy factory building on west North street, was afire. Alarm "61" was sounded and in a few seconds time the firemen were on the scene, battling with one of the worst fires they have had to fight for several weeks.

The flames seemed to have originated in the upper portion of what is known as the dry room in about the center of the establishment. The fire had gained considerable headway and was especially hard to fight on account of the dense smoke that arose from the seat of the conflagration. The battle lasted for about an hour and necessarily considerable water was thrown before the fire was considered under control.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. There had been no fire in any portion of the establishment, so far as any of the persons who are connected with the place know, since Saturday afternoon. A lady who resides in the immediate neighborhood states that she heard a report that resembled that of an explosion and upon looking in the direction of the laundry immediately she saw the building in flames.

When the smoke cleared away, after the flames had been extinguished, the main room of the laundry was found to have been pretty thoroughly gutted, the water and steam pipes and line shafts being badly bent and twisted, and the machinery being scorched and water soaked. Mr. Mosier, proprietor of the establishment, says that the loss is fairly well covered by insurance but it will require two or three weeks time to repair the damage sufficiently to start the plant in operation again. Mr. Mosier has made arrangements with one of the other local laundrymen to take care of all his patrons whose work will be received at the office on west North street the same as heretofore.

The occurrance of the fire is very unfortunate for Mr. Mosier who only purchased the place last week and was just beginning to get the establishment in proper order under his management. He states that all repairs will be made at once and the plant placed in operation again as soon as possible.

The household goods belonging to F. J. Banta, who lives in the apartments on the second floor of the building, were considerably damaged by smoke but the losses are thought to be fully covered by insurance.

THANK OFFERING

Will be Made by Market Street Church.

Next Wednesday afternoon everyone will be welcome at the parlors of Market street Presbyterian church, where the missionary society will hold their yearly thank offering meeting and a special program has been arranged for the day.

ST. JOHNS FAIR

Will Begin on Wednesday Evening, Nov. 19th.

St. John's Catholic church fair begins Wednesday in St. John's hall, south Main street. On the opening evening admission will be free to children. Regular admission 10 cents. The fair will continue throughout the week, and will end on Monday evening, November 24th.

The Winter Garment Selling.

Seldom has this store been in such a position to offer its buying public stylish, and in every other way satisfactory garments at such tempting prices.

The Winter Garment.

Monta Carlo is a strong leader for this season. Our line of $10.00, $11.50 and $12.00 are great sellers.

Monta Carlo Coats at $15.00, $16.50 and $18.00. Just opened today; are beauties.

Monta Carlos at $20.00, $22.50, $25.00 and $35.00, in black, castor and tan.

Children's and Misses' Coats in blue, brown, castor, green and black, all sizes and all prices from $5.00 to $20.00.

Some Rare Fur Values.

Our line of Scarfs and Boas is very complete.

Martin Scarfs from $5.00 to $16.50.

Mink Scarfs from $10.00 to $30.00.

Sable Opposum Scarfs from $3.98 to $10.00.

Russia Hare Scarfs from $2.25 to $5.00.

Sable Fox Boas from $5.75 to $50.00.

Bear Boas from $20.00 to $30.00.

Sable Opossum Scarfs $6.75 to $10.00.

Muffs in all styles and prices.

Curtains.

Choosing Curtains ought to be easy from the large assortment we show. These are beautiful imported Arabians, New Brussels, Irish Point, Arabian Chiny, English Bobbinet Ruffled, Nottingham and Cable Nets.

Special Clearance Sale of colored border Swiss Curtains.

$2.25 Curtains for $1.75.
$1.75 Curtains for $1.35.
$1.48 Curtains for $1.00.

All Wool Blankets.

The big, warm, cozy, comfortable sorts. The wear-a-life time sorts. Best blanket investment you ever made, if you buy now.

Special Wool Blankets at $3.75, $4.75 and $5.00, in plain white and checked.

Fancy Robe Blankets at $1.25, $2.00 and $2.75.

Cotton Blankets at 50c, 58c, $1.25.

BLUEM DRY GOODS

The Cloak, Dress Goods and Suit House.

BLUEM DRY GOODS

ESCAPED

The Pen But Got a Dose of the Works.

Verdict in Lang Case was Set Aside

And the Prisoner and His Partner Plead Guilty to the Lesser Offense of Assault and Battery.

Edward Lang, who was found guilty of pocket picking by the petit jury a week ago, and was supposed to be in line for the penitentiary, got out of a bad hole this morning when his attorney succeeded in having the verdict set aside. The court decided that the evidence was not sufficient to support the verdict and a new trial was accordingly granted.

Rather than remain in jail and await the opportunity of having his case brought up again, Lang consented to change his plea of not guilty and plead guilty to assault and battery, which is not a felony. With this arrangement it was decided by Earl Newman, who was a partner of Lang's at the time farmer Grafton was relieved of his money, to enter the same plea, and the two prisoners were brought into the court at two o'clock this afternoon to receive their sentence.

The two prisoners are of what criminals term the "respectable class," and Judge Cunningham gave them a few words of advice, admonishing them against trying to make the mare go around by their wits. In this day and age of the world crime is generally ferreted out and if they wanted to spend the majority of their days behind the bars of jails, work houses and penitentiaries they were going about it in the proper way. He then handed them a fine of $5 and costs and sent them to Toledo to do 30 days time in the work house.

See Plat, Prices and Terms of the Brice 2nd addition in another column. You can't go wrong in buying these lots. John M. Boose, agent. 201 Black Block.

MONEY TO LOAN

On farm and city property, low rate of interest, long time, with privilege of paying all or part at any interest paying date. Call on or address

FRANK A. HUFFMAN, Lima, Ohio.

204 Holland Block.

BECAME ILL

While Visiting at the Home of Her Mother.

Mrs. J. J. Baxter Passes Away After Three Weeks' Illness—Funeral Tomorrow.

Mrs. Martha A. Baxter, wife of J. J. Baxter, living three miles west of this city, died at 9 o'clock Saturday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Richards, in Elida, death resulting from lung trouble, after an illness of three weeks duration. The deceased had gone to the home of her parents on a visit when she became ill. She was aged 33 years, 4 months and 26 days, and is survived by her husband, five children, one brother and one sister and her parents.

Funeral services will be held at the U. B. church in Elida, at 10 o'clock (sun time) tomorrow morning and the remains will be laid to rest in Greenlawn cemetery.

The millinery stock of Miss Cahill, Opera House block, is being sold at assignee's sale. Genuine bargains. Ladies should investigate. 28-tf

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Home Missionary society of Trinity M. E. church, will hold its annual thank offering meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 19, 2:30 p.m., with Mrs. T. R. Terwilleger, 684 west Market street. 29-2t

"I owe my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas. Hutton, Berville, Mich.

The Lady [illegible] of Lima Hive No. 43, will dance at Music Hall, Monday, Nov. 24.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—A good girl for general house work. Inquire at 777 west Wayne street. 27-3t

WANTED—Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ills., wants men to learn barber trade. Steady practice, expert instructions, tools presented, wages Saturdays, board provided, illustrated catalogue with souvenir comb mailed free. 27-6t*

WANTED—Reliable person in each district to manage business for old house. Salary $15 weekly. Expenses advanced. Permanent position. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Manager, 342 Caxton building, Chicago. nov. 11-13-15-17-22-24-29-dec1

WANTED—Good agents for unoccupied territory. Steady employment year round; free outfit; cash each week. Western New York Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y. 26-7t*

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in family of three. Mrs. W. H. Standish, 1028 west Market street. 22-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—At once, a nice clean fresh stock of groceries, also fixtures in good location, also a horse and wagon, will sell reasonable. Inquire of P. H. Lawlor, 111 east Wayne street. 27-3t

FOR SALE—Full blooded, French poodle; price reasonable. Apply W—Care Times-Democrat office. 17tf

FOR SALE—Four lots near the new Lima Locomotive shops, and 1 lot on south Metcalf, near Elm. Price and terms very reasonable. For particulars, call at 523 north Main street. 24-6t*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Six room, modern, new house. Inquire at 716 north West street. 29-3t*

LOST.

LOST OR STOLEN—Nov. 10th, a Beagle hound, white and black spotted, head partly tan. Any information leading to his whereabouts will be rewarded. Felix Delmez, 915 Greenlawn ave., Lima, O. 9-3t

Fleeced Hosiery Bargains.

Here are three special lots of Fleeced Stockings that should create unusual activity in Hosiery buying. They are more than ordinarily good values.

Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Black Imported Hose, a good 35c quality, all sizes, for this sale .... **25c.**

Boys' Heavy Fleeced Hose, Elastic and of excellent yarn, 25c value, sizes 7 to 10, for this sale........ **19c.**

Children's Fleeced Hose, a splendid 15c grade, sizes 6 to 9½, for this sale........ **10c.**

Best Values in Underwear.

We give you extra quality in Children's Union Suits at 25c and 50c; also separate Vests or Pants at 25c and 35c.

Ladies' excellent Union Suits at 50c, 75c and 98c; also separate Vests or Pants of unusual quality at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Boys' Fleeced Shirts or Drawers, garments of special quality, at 25c, and very superior goods at 50c.

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Great Fur Values.

A generous assortment of Fur Scarfs of every grade. We have them at $1.[illegible] of fair quality and are here in a large range of styles at $1.[illegible], $2.50, $2.98, $3.50, $[illegible], $4.50, $5.00, $6.[illegible], $7.50, $8.50, $10.00 and up to very handsome sets of Scarfs and Muffs at $50.00.

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